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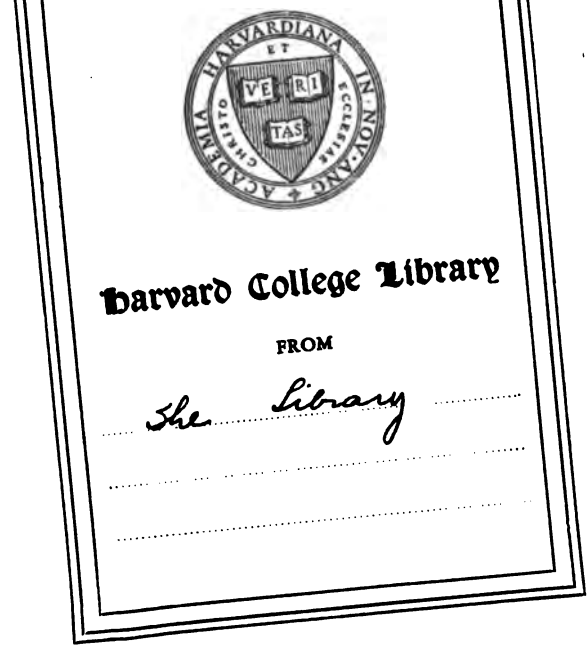
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AND

TWENTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.



ANNUAL MEETING, FEBRUARY 28, 1887.

ALSO, A REPORT OF THE EXERCISES WHICH ACCOMPANIED THE OPENING RECEPTION HELD IN THE NEW LIBRARY AND ART BUILDING, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 7TH, 1887.

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The reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was, on motion, dispensed with.

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LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

Your Committee have pleasure in reporting that the Library is now fully and satisfactorily settled in its beautiful new building, with more than its former activities resumed. The report which the Superintendent has made to us, and which will be submitted to you, shows a favorable condition of affairs. A reduction of the aggregate circulation of the year was caused naturally by the long interruptions which attended the removal in September last. That it should have become necessary to quit our old home before the new was prepared for us, and to have our books thrown out of use during nearly four months, was a misfortune which many felt to be almost a public calamity. It was borne, however, with excellent patience, and we were all of us taught to understand, much better than we had done before, how important a factor in the life of the city this Library has become.

During the months that the Library has been open the circulation has fully equalled that of the previous year, and shows very slight changes of character.

An important movement to be noted is the Sunday opening of the Library reading rooms, which has now been pursued for two months with most gratifying success. It seems to be accomplishing for a large class of young men, who have busy occupations during the week, exactly what was hoped from it. If the example that has been set here should lead to the opening of other kindred institutions on Sunday, the result would no doubt be equally satisfactory.

A second part of the Finding List of the Library has been printed during the year, containing Belles-Lettres and allied classes of books. One thousand copies were printed at a cost of $495. The printing of the first part cost $347.50, making a total of $842.50 expended thus far. A third part, which will complete the List, is in preparation. The receipts from sales of Finding Lists (selling them at the bare cost of printing) have aggregated only $132.47, of which $91.95 have been received during the past year. There is an increasing demand

for the Lists and probably a larger sale will be made during the coming twelve months.

There is probably no library in the country at this time which sums up in its arrangements, more completely than ours, the collected experience and the perfected practice of all the best American libraries. It was impossible to advance to that line without withdrawing its books from public handling more generally than heretofore. This feature of our new arrangements has been the subject of considerable criticism, more or less warm. The reasons which justify it are presented at sufficient length in the Superintendent's report, and we need only to say here that our judgment approves them entirely.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN G. MILBURN.
JAMES FRASER GLUCK.
SHELDON T. VIELE.
WILLIAM C. CORNWELL.
EDWARD H. MOVIUS.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

I present to you my tenth annual report under circumstances and with feelings of peculiar satisfaction. The decade of my service as the keeper of your books has been rounded to a delightful close; for a vision that was dim in our dreams ten years ago has suddenly concreted itself, in solid beauty and magnificence, to our waking sight. Some Aladdin has rubbed his lamp; some friendly Jinn have toiled o' nights, and, lo! a palace has sprung out of the earth, which we find ourselves happily inhabiting to-day, with the treasures that are under our care. Its strong and shapely walls are actually around us; its great protecting roof spreads broadly over us; its deep foundations are under our feet. No library in all the land is more nobly housed. No library in all the world is more safely and enduringly placed. So far as human foresight may discover, our books are stored for more centuries than one. If a calamity befalls them, it will need to be of some strange and surprising sort. If they multiply beyond their bounds, it will be by some prodigious, unlooked-for increase. We can double their present

number, and then double it again, without filling by 50,000 books the space even now appropriated to them. When that is done there will still remain the great halls which the Art Gallery, the Society of Natural Sciences and the Historical Society will some day vacate, and which are ample for the storing of full twice as many more, with reading rooms proportionately supplied In a word, the Buffalo Library may grow, in some far future time, to the imperial magnitude of 1,000,000 books, without going outside of its present walls. That is surely enough future to be forethoughtful of.

If a library of a million volumes seems quite out of sight in our present forecastings, we may reasonably count, nevertheless, on some great accumulation of books in this place within the next hundred years. The gathering of such a collection receives impetus and momentum from every year that pushes it on. At the close of the first year of its existence, in 1837, our Library had 2,700 books. In 1847 it had 4,000 (approximately); in 1857 it had 8,300, by actual count; in 1867, about 14,000; in 1877, about 30,000; in 1887 it has above 56,000 volumes on its shelves. On the average, speaking roughly, its contents have been doubled in every decade. Of course we cannot expect that this ratio of geometrical progression will be maintained, but we may hope that something more than the increase of the last ten years will be added in the ten years to come.

GROWTH AND COST.—WEAR AND LOSS.

As a matter of particular interest at the present time, I have prepared some statistics of the past growth of the Library, to show the gross and the net acquisition of books, their cost and their wear and loss. The following table sums up by decades (excepting the first period, which is of eleven years) the volumes added to the Library, with the cost as recorded in its annual reports:

	Vols. added.	Cost.
1837–1847	4,139	$ 3,927.67
1848–1857	5,505	8,313.52
1858–1867	6,933	11,836.50
1868–1877	21,498	37,200.97
1878–1887	29,220	37,139.32

Down to 1867 the statement of cost includes the binding, the two items being generally reported in one sum. Since that date the sums given are those expended in the purchase of books.

In former years there was no actual checking of the Library to ascertain definitely its losses, and to learn what particular books had disappeared by loss or wear. But occasionally, at long intervals, a count of the volumes actually in possession is reported, and these irregular countings supply the only means for calculating what wear and loss took place. In 1857, when the Library was twenty-one years old, I find the first report of books numbered by actual count. There were then 8,300 volumes, but the additions that had been reported year by year foot up 9,644; hence 1,344 had been worn out or lost.

Twelve years later, in 1868, the Library was counted again, and 15,113 volumes were found in hand, against 17,235 which the additions of the twelve years, added to the 8,300 of 1857, would call for. Wear and loss of the twelve years, 2,122 volumes.

Only three years ran then before the next counting of books, which took place in 1871, on the making of the printed catalogue of that year. It showed 19,206 volumes, and the loss and wear would seem to have been 2,094 volumes for only the three years.

The next numbering was my own, at the close of my first year in the Library, in February, 1878, when I reported 31,630 volumes found upon the shelves, which left 2,045 volumes unaccounted for to represent the destruction and loss of seven years, from 1871 to 1878.

Since 1878 the contents of the Library have been annually checked and its losses ascertained in a definite way. Of the 31,630 volumes reported on the shelves in 1878, 1,354 volumes were duplicates, withdrawn at that time from the Library, for sale, and counted no more among the books in use. There remained, therefore, in the Library, as catalogued and organized, 30,276, with which the additions made since aggregate a total of 58,336. As we now find but 55,349 volumes in use and

accounted for, the wear and loss of the ten years is shown to be 2,987 volumes. The books worn out and withdrawn during the ten years have numbered 2,031 volumes, which leaves an unexplained loss of 956 volumes.

The total of wear, loss and sale of duplicates from the Library since its foundation has been 11,312 volumes. How much of this has been unexplained loss it is impossible from the past records to determine.

THE SECLUSION OF OUR BOOKS.

From this subject I am led naturally to speak of what has been a "burning question" among our readers since the opening of the Library in its new building, namely, the seclusion of our books. The seclusion is less complete than in most public libraries, since we still have about 1,000 volumes of the commoner books of reference, such as cyclopedias, dictionaries, statistical annuals and the like, open to the hand of every person who wishes to consult them. But formerly we exposed our novels and our "new books" in the same way, whereas they are now placed, like the other books of the Library, where none but attendants can go to them. This takes away a privilege that is dear to every book-lover, and some have resented it as though it were a wrong wantonly done to them. But no person who has knowledge of the work of a public library, and of the conditions under which it is carried on, can doubt the necessity of barring public access to books when the public using them has grown large in numbers. The losses sustained are really the smallest of the reasons that make it necessary. If we put aside that consideration altogether, and say that the Library can afford to lose what it has been losing, there remains the more serious fact that all definite knowledge and command of our books has to be given up when they are thrown open to general handling. We are no longer able to know with the least certainty whether they are in the Library, at any time, or out; whether they are lent, or lost, or misplaced. This necessary knowledge can be had in no other way than by designating one certain place for every book and having it always in that place

when it is in the Library. A book misplaced on the shelves is lost for the time being. Unless found accidentally, it will remain lost until the next time that the shelves are systematically examined, book by book, which is too great a labor to be frequently done. Meantime those who wish for the book are deprived of it.

That books cannot be kept in their places if many people have access to the shelves, must be obvious enough to any person who considers the matter.

The difficulties are complicated when we endeavor to keep "new books" for some certain time in a public case, away from the several places to which they belong by their classification, and for which they are marked in our catalogues. The books so treated are a shifting class, and they are the books most in use. The "new-book" shelves in our old library rooms would hold about 300 volumes. To keep them filled, we needed to retain from 1,500 to 2,000 volumes constantly in the unsettled category of "new books." With how much trouble it was done; with how much perpetual uncertainty about the whereabouts of these books, and with how frequent disappointments to readers who called for them, is not easily understood by those not in the work. I knew it to be a difficult thing to do when I introduced the open cases for "new books" seven years ago, but I did not half comprehend the difficulties then. I had borrowed the suggestion from the Boston Atheneum, which is a library owned and used by a comparatively small number of people, and which is really of a semi-private character. I know of no other large library in which any attempt is made to give the like privilege to readers. So long as we remained in our old quarters we adhered stoutly to our undertaking. It would have been more than folly to bring it with us into the arrangements of this place, because we have faithfully proved by experience that it is impracticable.

As one further strong reason for the seclusion of our books, I may add that we are now able, as we were not before, to reserve a book for any reader who applies for it while it is in the hands of another, and to give several applicants their

turn in obtaining a work which happens to be in lively demand. To do this it is necessary that the book shall have one certain place, and invariably go to that place when it is returned to the Library. It could not, of course, be done heretofore, in the case of our new books, for which the call is most active, nor with our novels. The extent to which the privilege of reserve is now used shows plainly enough that it is highly valued.

To sum up the whole question in a few words, it may be said broadly that the seclusion of books is in the interest of those who come to the Library with definite wants; and that it is hardly possible to take any large view of the functions of a public library which does not give precedence to that interest over all others.

SUNDAY OPENING.

With the reopening of the Library in its new building at the beginning of the year, we introduced the very important experiment of opening our reading-rooms on Sunday afternoons from one o'clock until six. The results have more than vindicated the wisdom of those who advocated this measure, and have removed, I think, whatever slight hesitancies about it there may have been in some conservative minds. Our reading-rooms have been filled every Sunday afternoon with a throng of silent, well-behaved readers, mostly young men whose faces are not familiar to us on week days. The Sunday attendance has been so large, in fact, that we have found it necessary to provide an increased number of chairs. Besides the readers there are hundreds of other Sunday visitors who stroll quietly through the public rooms of the Library, examining the objects of interest shown, especially the rare collection of autograph manuscripts which we owe to Mr. Gluck. They are always orderly, always low-voiced in their talk, and no church in the city has a congregation more respectful to the place. That the Library as an institution gains great influence for good from this Sunday opening seems quite beyond doubt.

CIRCULATION OF THE YEAR.

The aggregate circulation of books last year was much diminished by the closing of the Library from September 11th to January 3d—a period of nearly four months—but relatively it shows little change of volume from the previous year, and the improvement reported last year in the character of the reading has been well maintained. The following is a summary:

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1887.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Totals.	Per Cent.
Philosophy	54	75	57	58	59	68	64	41	..			53	529	.00882
Religion	117	151	120	113	83	94	89	27	..			121	915	.01527
Social Science	134	129	125	104	75	60	62	32				134	855	.01426
Language	17	7	8	13	11	13	4	1		...		16	90	.00125
Natural Science	125	139	123	100	88	66	76	36	...			138	891	.01486
Useful Arts	97	111	107	83	86	78	72	30	...			130	794	.01325
Fine Arts	143	180	135	122	108	93	101	37			...	148	1,067	.01780
Gen'l Literature	481	637	499	475	406	420	395	150		...		416	3,879	.06471
Juvenile Fiction	472	513	442	413	377	507	465	149	...			894	4,232	.07065
Fiction	4,677	5,478	4,837	4,779	4,534	4,877	4,486	1,819		...		3,460	38,947	.64970
Travel	337	353	282	258	187	196	217	95	...		...	311	2,236	.03739
Biography	373	411	346	261	243	221	218	76	...	...		316	2,465	.06125
History	655	521	451	373	293	270	256	95		...		329	3,043	.05079
Totals	7,482	8,705	7,532	7,152	6,550	6,963	6,505	2,588	...		..	6,466	59,943	

ADDITIONS.

The appended statistics show that 3,522 volumes were added to the Library during the year, of which 417 volumes were added by gift, 134 volumes by the binding of periodicals, eight volumes by the binding of pamphlets and three volumes by exchange. The books bought numbered 2,960 volumes and the cost of them was $3.697.46.

Our purchases are necessarily limited, much more than they ought to be, to current literature in the classes most demanded by general readers. In the literature of natural science, for example, we can go not much beyond the popular and elementary books. In the literature of the fine arts the more important and more expensive works are mostly forbidden to us. In the field of American history we are gathering very slowly the minuter records—the annals of States, towns and families, of institutions and societies—which every complete American library ought to possess. In foreign history we accumulate still more slowly the old chronicles and memoirs which are at the bottom of any thorough knowledge of it. We are compelled, in fact, by the narrowness of our means, to build up a library which is appropriated too strictly to the superficial reader, and too little to the deeper student, in all departments.

As I note this fact, I cannot forbear pointing the attention of wealthy friends of the Library to the lasting good that may be done, and the enduring monuments that may be built, by the endowing of special funds in the Library for the purchase of books in such departments as I have named. I am sanguine enough to believe that liberal funds of this character will be founded for us by private munificence, to bear the names of the givers, and to perpetuate those names by the inscription of them upon all books purchased out of the income of the several funds.

With the debt that is now placed upon the Library by the cost of its building, there seems to be no other reasonable prospect before it of a satisfactory growth.

The customary statistics of the Library are appended.

Respectfully submitted.

J. N. LARNED,
Superintendent.

APPENDIX.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND OF THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Bound Volumes.		Pamphlets.
	Net additions.	Total.	Total.
Bibliography,	34	473	740
General cyclopedias,	8	249	...
General periodicals,	38	1,175	10
Polygraphy, etc.,	17	221	1
Philosophy,	79	1,053	75
Religion,	225	4,271	108
Law, Politics and Political Economy,	166	4,070	449
Education,	28	536	339
Commerce,	32	605	268
Statistics,	16	362	39
Other Social Subjects,	22	628	121
Philology,	36	418	11
Natural Science,	92	3,008	72
Useful Arts,	100	3,068	280
Fine Arts,	74	1,909	55
Literary periodicals,	249	3,010	...
English poetry, criticism, etc.,	280	3,929	38
English prose fiction,	371	8,532	2
German poetry, criticism, etc.,	31	414	...
German prose fiction,	44	570	...
French poetry, criticism, etc.,	22	639	1
French prose fiction,	23	833	...
Italian literature,	21	129	1
Spanish literature,		73	...
Greek and Latin literature,	34	355	...
Other literature,	38	317	3
Geography and travel,	131	4,075	73
Biography,	152	4,315	141
History: United States,	164	2,150	221
History: Other countries,	263	3,727	64
Local history and literature,	171	709	1,174
		55,823	4,286
Not accounted for on the checking of the library, December, 1886,		473	
Number of volumes in use and accounted for February 8, 1887,		55,350	
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use (chiefly public documents),		782	
Total,		56,132	

The additions to the library during the year have been as follows:

	Volumes.
By purchase,	2,960
By gift,	417
By binding periodicals,	134
By binding pamphlets,	8
By exchange,	3
	3,522

Of the books purchased, 260 volumes were bought to replace older copies worn out or lost.

The withdrawals from the library during the year have been as follows:

Worn out and condemned,	149
Duplicates withdrawn from use,	37
Duplicates exchanged,	3

From the best of the worn-out books, partly of the past year and partly of the year previous, 60 volumes were given to the General Hospital, 31 volumes to the County Jail, and 18 volumes to the Newsboys and Bootblacks' Home.

Cost of books purchased,	$3,697.46
Average cost per volume,	1.25
Paid for binding,	630.91

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP.

The Committee on Membership respectfully report that during the past year three hundred and thirty-seven persons have been elected to annual membership in the Library, fifty resignations have been accepted, and four annual and twelve life members have died.

The present membership of the Library consists of fifteen hundred and nine annual, eleven hundred and ten life, and forty-seven honorary members.

Respectfully submitted.

HOWARD. H. BAKER.
HENRY M. WATSON.
RALPH H. PLUMB.

COMMITTEE ON DONATIONS.

The Committee on Donations would respectfully report that there have been added to the Library during the past year, by gift, 383 volumes of books, 416 pamphlets and 54 maps. In the above are not included many valuable donations from generous friends of the Library. It does not include the most valuable of all—the most important, in fact, that the Library has received during recent years—namely, the collection of autographs and original manuscripts presented by James Fraser Gluck. The Executive Committee has accepted Mr. Gluck's gift with the recognition which such generosity merits, and has given to the collection a prominent place in the main room of the Library building.

This gift has already borne fruit of the kind which its donor hoped would be borne by it; for others of our citizens have presented to the Library valuable autograph letters and manuscripts, and the foundation has been laid which will make the Library, in this particular, one of the most noted in the land.

The list to be found in appendix gives in detail the character of the various donations. From the long list of contributions we mention as especially entitled to recognition the following donors, many of whom have been generous in their contributions in former years: Hon. John Charlton, M. P., of Canada; Hon. John M. Farquhar, Hon. D. H. McMillan, Hon. Jonathan Scoville, Hon. E. Gallagher, Hon. A. W. Hickman, Robert F. Pennell, John Wilkeson, Crisfield Johnson, Percy L. Marvin, Rt. Rev. S. V. Ryan.

We extend our sincere thanks to these and all other friends who have so generously remembered the Library.

Respectfully submitted.

SEWARD A. SIMONS.
R. R. HEFFORD.
H. W. SPRAGUE.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The BUFFALO LIBRARY *in Account with* JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

To	Salaries,	$5,374.00
	Extra labor in library,	113.25
	Sundry library expenses,	169.68
	Stationery,	235.70
	Printing Finding List,	495.00
	Binding,	630.91
	Books,	3,697.06
	Printing,	113.40
	Insurance,	461.05
	Newspapers and periodicals,	625.68
	Ice and water,	23.26
	Telephone,	50.00
	Room expenses,	283.72
	Gas,	400.73
	Book supports,	120.08
	Regilding picture frames,	158.00
	Expense of moving,	458.99
		$13,410.51
Feb. 25, 1887.	Balance on hand,	$599.38
		$14,009.89

By	Cash from last report,	$1,009.86
	Interest on City and County Hall bonds,	350.00
	Interest on Buffalo City water bonds,	210.00
	Interest on Buffalo Board of Trade bonds,	150.00
	Interest on Y. M. A. bonds,	55.00
	Interest on bonds and mortgages,	480.00
	Interest, Bank of Attica, Library Fund,	84.30
	Interest, Bank of Attica, General Fund,	25.18
	Dues,	2,917.09
	Fines,	364.62
	Finding Lists sold,	91.95
	Books sold,	12.17
	Newspapers sold,	19.95
	Rent of periodicals,	16.66
	Rent of books,	60.61
	Sale of old fixtures,	162.50
	Real Estate Commissioners,	8,000.00
		$14,009.89

LIBRARY FUND.

3 Buffalo City water bonds,	$3,000.00
1 City and County Hall bond,	5,000.00
5 Buffalo Board of Trade bonds,	2,500.00
35 Young Men's Association bonds,	1,750.00
Bond and mortgage,	2,000.00
Bond and mortgage,	6,000.00
Cash,	1,783.74
	$22,033.74

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report, and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same correct.

BUFFALO, Feb. 26, 1887.

CHARLES B. WHEELER, *Auditor.*

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with the* BUFFALO LIBRARY BUILDING FUND.

To	Estate of T. C. Reilly,	$4,000.00
	Estate of Caroline C. Fillmore,	3,700.00
	Interest account balance,	668.82
	Collections on account subscriptions,	103,824.25
	Loan, Buffalo Savings Bank,	225,000.00
		$337,193.07

By	Old Court House property,	$47,806.17
	Title search,	15.00
	Machwirth Bros., galvanized iron,	13.25
	Brady & Maltby, stone cutters,	26.40
	C. E. Brinkworth,	184.25
	Sundry expenses,	175.75
	Marshall, Clinton & Wilson,	1,131.75
	Sundry architects for plans,	1,796.25
	Charles Plumb, Electrician,	154.00
	Hersee & Co., furniture,	753.95
	Adam, Meldrum & Anderson,	209.44
	D. E. Morgan & Son,	1,515.60
	Chretien Bros., paint and glass,	1,280.71
	Schwartz & Co., account contract,	800.00

By D. F. Rust, paint and glass,	$ 2,300.00
Brady & Maltby, sidewalk,	4,200.00
Metz, Bark & Meyer, cabinet work,	6,928.45
G. H. Peters & Son, roofing,	8,300.00
C. L. W. Eidlitz,	10,000.00
J. Beier & Son, foundation,	14,153.56
Irlbacker & Davis, heating and plumbing,	16,500.00
W. D. Collingwood & Co., stone,	20,073.00
J. Reiman, carpenter work,	21,500.00
Boston Terra Cotta Co.,	22,000.00
H. C. Harrower, iron,	75,404.00
Charles Berrick, mason,	78,553.00
	$335,774.53
Feb. 25, 1887. Balance on hand,	1,418.54
	$337,193.07

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report, and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same correct.

BUFFALO, Feb. 26, 1887.

CHARLES B. WHEELER, *Auditor.*

REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONERS, BUFFALO LIBRARY, *in Account with* JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

By Cash on hand last report,		$14,699.43
Rent of Ulbrich & Kingsley,	$1,850.07	
Rent of Neupert & Co.,	3,000.00	
Rent of Fuller & Townsend,	3,000.00	
Rent of Schwartz & Co.,	3,500.04	
Rent of St. James Hall,	4,800.00	
Rent of St. John's Lodge,	25.00	
Rent of Firemen's Benevolent Association,	116.65	
Rent of Ancient Order of United Workmen,	325.00	
Rent of steam heat,	425.02	
Interest on bank account,	359.24	
		$17,401.02
Feb. 23, 1887. Temporary loan from J. M. Richmond,		10,000.00
		$42,100.45

To Sundry repairs,	$ 95.88
Sundry expenses,	28.03
E. W. Pritchard, services as Engineer,	120.00
John Krieg, services as Janitor,	660.00
Watts & Curtin, services as Patrol,	208.00
City taxes,	514.84
Lee, Smith & Moore, for coal,	1,018.80
Smith & Davis, insurance, building,	1,154.93
Erie County Savings Bank, interest on bond,	350.00
Buffalo Lodge, No. 9, surrender of lease, etc.,	600.00
Buffalo Savings Bank, interest,	7,612.75
J. L. Williams, Treasurer Executive Committee,	8,000.00
Henry Smith, for repairs, Oct. 15, 1886,	5,000.00
Henry Smith, for repairs, Dec. 1, 1886,	5,000.00
Henry Smith, for repairs, Jan. 10, 1887,	5,000.00
Henry Smith, for repairs, Feb. 10, 1887,	5,000.00
	$40,363.23
Feb. 25, 1887. Balance on hand,	1,737.22
	$42,100.45

COUPON ACCOUNT.

By Cash in bank last report,	$129.25
Interest on account,	4.46
Cash deposited,	350 00
	$483.71

Contra.

To Coupons paid by Erie County Savings Bank,	370.00
Feb. 25, 1887. Balance on hand,	113.71
	$483.71

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report, and compared the same with the books and vouchers, and find the same correct.

BUFFALO, Feb. 26, 1887.

CHARLES B. WHEELER, *Auditor.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

During the past year the new Library building has been completed and occupied. The old building, corner of Main and Eagle streets, has been fitted up for hotel purposes, and opened as a hotel, called the "Richmond," after our respected president. It is leased for ten years from May 1, 1887, at an annual rental of $21,500 for the first five years, and $24,000 annually for the second five years. The lease also provides that from the day of opening for business $250 per month shall be paid to May 1, 1887.

The parties occupying St. James Hall have renewed their lease for two years from May 1, 1887, at an annual rental of $4,800.

Nothing has been done with the Court House property, and it remains vacant. Plans have been submitted for remodeling the building, but no definite action has been taken.

It became necessary to increase the mortgage on the real estate $25,000 in order to furnish the money for the alteration of the new hotel building. This property, consisting of the block bounded by Washington, Broadway, Ellicott and Clinton streets, and the corner of Main and Eagle streets, running through to Washington street, is now mortgaged for $225,000 to the Buffalo Savings Bank, the rate of interest being 4½ per cent. per annum.

The contracts made for the construction of the Library building amount to	$302,989.00
And there was paid for the Old Court House property,	47,806.17
Making total cost,	$350,795.17
The expense to the Buffalo Library for the alterations of the Richmond Hotel is	$40,000.00
Of this amount $15,000 is advanced by the lessees, to be deducted from the rent at the rate of $250.00 per month.	
Cost of property,	$390,795.17
There has been collected from subscriptions,	102,882.25
From legacies,	7,700.00
From interest,	605.97
Borrowed of Savings Bank	225,000.00
Cash on hand,	3,155.00
	339,343.22
Leaving a balance of	$51,451.95

With resources uncollected as follows:

Unpaid subscriptions,	$13,000.00
Unpaid legacies,	20,000.00
Advanced on lease by Stafford,	15,000.00
	$48,000.00
Leaving a balance of	$3,451.95

To which should be added—

Estimated cost of extra work not provided for in contract,	$10,000.00
Total amount unprovided for,	$13,451.95

The income for the coming year is estimated at $31,000, and the current expenses, including interest and the amount to be repaid to Stafford & Co., $28,000.

There has been collected during the year:

From rents,	$16,616.76
For steam heat,	425.02
Interest on bank account,	359.24
Amount received for income,	$17,401.02
Amount borrowed of J. M. Richmond, Esq.,	10,000.00
Expense for engineer, janitor and patrol,	988.00
Expense for coal,	1,018.80
Expense for insurance,	1,154.93
Expense for interest,	7,962.75
Expense for taxes,	514.84
Paid for sundry repairs and expenses,	123.91
Paid on account alterations of hotel,	20,000.00
Paid for canceling lease,	600.00
Paid Executive Committee,	8,000.00
Balance,	$1,737.22

Respectfully submitted.

GEO. GORHAM.
F. L. DANFORTH.
J. M. RICHMOND.
J. L. WILLIAMS.

INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed inspectors for the election of officers and directors of the Buffalo Library, held in the library building, on Tuesday, the 8th day of February, A. D. 1887, do hereby certify that at the said election the following named persons received, severally, the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

JEWETT M. RICHMOND, for President,	720
JOHN L. WILLIAMS, for Treasurer,	405
NATHANIEL ROCHESTER, for Treasurer,	315
HERBERT P. BISSELL, for Curator,	377
HENRY P. EMERSON, for Curator,	342
CHARLES A. POOLEY, for Director,	419
STEPHEN Y. HOWELL, for Director,	294
FRANK F. WILLIAMS, for Director,	451
GEORGE H. LEWIS, for Director,	345
PORTER NORTON, for Director,	417
E. CORNING TOWNSEND, for Director,	349
ROSWELL PARK, for Director,	306
JOSEPH L. HUNSICKER, for Director,	236
ROBERT R. HEFFORD, for Real Estate Commissioner,	200
CHARLES D. MARSHALL, for Real Estate Commissioner,	240

And we further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President,	JEWETT M. RICHMOND.
Treasurer,	JOHN L. WILLIAMS.
Curator,	HERBERT P. BISSELL.
Directors,	CHARLES A. POOLEY. FRANK F. WILLIAMS, PORTER NORTON. E. CORNING TOWNSEND.
Real Estate Commissioner,	CHARLES D. MARSHALL.

GEO. W. HAYWARD,
WM. K. ALLEN,
EDW. G. HAWLEY.
Inspectors.

President RICHMOND next addressed those present as follows:

PRESIDENT RICHMOND'S ADDRESS.

Gentlemen of the Buffalo Library, you have deemed it advisable that I remain your President another year. For this honor and continued confidence accept my most sincere thanks. I had hoped at this, our annual meeting, to be able to report to you that your Library was completed and the accounts for its construction settled. While the building is practically completed there is still some work to be done by the different contractors before the building can be accepted as fully finished.

The Treasurer has given you in his reports amounts paid on different contracts. There is yet due on original contracts $23,314. Bills not rendered for gas fixtures, andirons and fenders, tiling, wiring the building for electricity, chairs for the small hall, and extra work, the latter mostly in the rooms of the Society of Natural Sciences and the Art Gallery, not in original contracts, will amount to $10,000. Temporary loan made to meet present needs, $10,000. Total, $43,314, which we still have to pay, if my estimates on extras are correct, when the building is completed.

Treasurer reports in Building Fund, ...	$ 1,148.54
Treasurer reports in Real Estate Commisioners' Fund,	1,737.22
Subscriptions not paid, said to be good, but don't pay,	13,000.00
Total	$16,155.76
Which will leave to be provided from other sources, .	$27,158.24

We expect to get during the year the bequests so generously left us by Mr. George Howard, $10,000, and Frank W. Tracy, $10,000; total, $20,000, leaving still unprovided for, $7,158.24.

When the hotel property is finished, which will be in the early spring, we will have to pay Henry Smith for balance of his contract to make $25,000, advanced by us, $5,000—making $12,158.24, which you will have as a floating debt until this is provided for. It would be a great relief to the Library if this amount could be raised by subscription; even if this

should be done, our capacity for buying books would be very limited. Our income will be:

From rent of hotel,	$21,500
Rent of St. James's Hall,	4,800
Members' dues,	3,000
Fines, estimated,	500
Interest on Library Fund,	1,200
Total,	$31,000

Our fixed charges and estimated expenses will be:

Interest on mortgage,	$10,125
Employees, partially estimated,	9,000
Coal, estimated,	1,500
Light, estimated,	1,000
Insurance on hotel and St. James' Hall,	1,250
Local taxes,	500
Interest on old bonds,	350
Refunding Stafford & Co.,	3,750
Interest on floating debt,	1,400
	$28,875

Leaving to our credit, $2,125—the amount we shall have for buying books if no other expenses arise.

The Real Estate Commissioners have reported the lease of the St. James Hall to Mr. Bates for two years at the annual rent of $4,800 per year, and to Stafford & Co. the balance of our property, corner of Eagle and Main streets, at the annual rental of $21,500 for the first five years, and $24,000 per year for the second five years; but to make this lease we had to agree to make repairs to the extent of $40,000; $25,000 of this amount was raised by increasing our mortgage to the Buffalo Savings Bank, which is now $225,000 at four and one-half per cent. interest; $15,000 was borrowed of Stafford & Co., to be paid to them during the first five years, $3,000 per year with five per cent. interest. I consider this a very fortunate lease, as the building was in very poor condition. The building has been raised one story; it would have required a new roof in any event. The interior has been entirely renewed. You will see our indebtedness has grown very much more than was the intention of the Real Estate Commissioners or the Board of Managers that it should be at the commencement of this enterprise; but the general demand

that the entire structure should be fire-proof increased the cost from original contracts about $56,000, including architects' fees and repairs on hotel, $40,000, making $96,000 that was not in our original calculations.

You will notice that on the second five years' lease we get $2,500 increase in rents with improvements paid for, which gives us about $6,000 larger income than we shall have for the first five years.

For some time past our Library has been free for all purposes of consultation or reading within its own rooms. In the judgment of many among us the time has now come when the same freedom should be extended, if possible, to the circulation of more or less of its books among the people of the city, for reading in their homes. Free libraries are the natural auxiliaries of free schools. In this country, east and west of us, and in England, they are so common already that the community which has none seems to be falling behind its age. In most instances the free library is a municipal institution, established and maintained altogether at public expense. In some cases the library exists more independently of the municipal government, but receives some appropriation from public funds and is therefore made free. This latter relationship to the city is one in which I see no reasonable objection to the placing of the Buffalo Library. It is a matter of course that we must jealously preserve its independent existence and its independent administration. In order to do so, we must carefully avoid destroying the value of membership in the corporate association which owns and controls it. A member must continue to possess privileges which will make his proprietary connection with the Library desirable, and which will be fully worth the fee that it costs. This seems to be practicable, as has been suggested, by the reserving of certain important and legitimate advantages to members, which will take nothing from the worth of the free use of the Library conceded to other people. For example, I am told that the universal rule of free libraries is that no borrower shall have more than one volume at a time, whereas our members have always enjoyed the privilege of drawing two volumes, besides having the right to extra

books at any time on payment of a slight rate for them. If, therefore, we shall lend to the general public according to the rule of free libraries, while continuing to our own members their larger privilege, we should preserve a just distinction that is well worth the small cost of membership. Again, since the object aimed at in making the public library free is strictly educational—since the purpose is not to amuse people, nor to entertain them, but to instruct them and refine them—the reasons which urge it do not seem to require that the whole great mass of romance literature, which has little or no value except as a means of entertainment, should be embraced among the books opened to free circulation. A certain limited number of the recognized standard works of fiction may easily be agreed upon for the free list, while the common stream of novels issuing from the press is reserved from it. Those readers who desire to be supplied with the current fiction of the day would still be required to join the Library in membership in order to obtain it. By legitimate discriminations such as these, I have no doubt we should keep a substantial membership to maintain the corporate existence of the Library association, while the city would secure at small cost the full benefit of a free public library. At all events, the experiment might safely enough be made for a single year, if the city is disposed to enter into such an arrangement with us for the purpose. It should be, I think, a matter of simple contract with the municipal government—the Library, on its part, agreeing to lend certain classes of its books, in a stipulated way, without charge, to any reputable resident of Buffalo, either known or duly vouched for, and the city, on the other hand, agreeing to pay some certain sum per year, to cover the increased expense of such a free circulation of books, and to make good the loss of membership dues which the Library would sustain.

By a general law enacted last winter, any city in this State is authorized to appropriate $5,000 per annum towards the support, as a free library, of any library which had circulated 75,000 volumes of books in the preceding year. If, under this law, the city of Buffalo should appropriate to us $5,000, additional to the $4,000 which is appropriated annually to

the Grosvenor Library, the total, $9,000, so devoted to the maintenance of free public libraries would be a small sum compared with the appropriation of other cities to the same purpose. From the reports in his possession, the Superintendent of the Library has prepared for me the following statement of the actual appropriations from civic treasuries which various free public libraries in this country and Canada received in the years mentioned:

Boston Public Library, 1885,	$120,000
Chicago Public Library, 1886,	60,000
Cincinnati Public Library, 1886,	53,733
Detroit Public Library, 1885,	25,233
Cleveland Public Library, 1886,	19,974
San Francisco Public Library, 1883,	19,991
Milwaukee Public Library, 1884,	18,737
Toronto Public Library, 1886,	18,038
Worcester, Mass., Free Public Library, 1885,	14,888
St. Louis Free Public Library, 1885,	14,000
Indianapolis Public Library, 1886	9,400
Lawrence, Mass., Public Library, 1885,	7,767
Newton, Mass, Public Library, 1885,	7,500
Toledo, Ohio, Public Library, 1885,	7,400
Bridgeport, Conn., Public Library, 1885,	7,259
Cambridge, Mass., Public Library, 1886,	6,500
Taunton, Mass., Public Library, 1885,	5,560
New Bedford, Mass., Public Library, 1886,	5,000
Fitchburg, Mass., Public Library, 1885,	4,574

Only four of the libraries mentioned above, namely, those of Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati and Worcester are larger than our own. If the city of Buffalo can have such a collection of books as this made free to its citizens by appropriating $5,000 a year to it, there ought to be little hesitation over the proposal.

In this connection I may properly allude to a matter which has been the subject of more or less conversation during the past year. The provision we have made of room and shelving for books is largely in excess of our present needs. We intended, of course, to provide for a long future growth of the Library. Moreover, the necessity we were under of giving required floor space to the institutions which occupy our building above and below the Library, enlarged somewhat the proportion of all our rooms. The result is that we now have about fifty-six thousand volumes in a stack room that is

already equipped for one hundred and fifty thousand volumes, at least, and which can be made to store two hundred and twenty-five thousand volumes by adding a third tier to the stacks. This stack room is divided by a broad public passage running through the middle of it to a fine large reading-room at the eastern extremity. The stacks on one side of this passage, together with the reading-room that adjoins them, might easily be spared to the Grosvenor Library for the next ten or a dozen years. The period could be lengthened to twenty or twenty-five years, if desired, by raising the book-stacks to the full height of the room. So long, then, as the Grosvenor Library needs to be kept in temporary rented quarters, and until its building fund has grown large enough for the erection of the building ultimately contemplated by its founder, this would seem to be the fit place for keeping it. It can be nowhere else so safe. It can be nowhere else more conveniently arranged. It can preserve as independent an existence under this roof as under any other. To the public there would be many advantages in having the two libraries side by side, and they could surely work together in harmony with many advantages to themselves. To make such an arrangement as I suggest would be simply to revert to what was contemplated when the city accepted the Grosvenor bequest. The act of 1859 which authorized the acceptance of the bequest and the establishment of the Grosvenor Library, also authorized the Common Council of Buffalo to enter into a contract with the Young Men's Association for housing it, etc., and projects looking to the placing of the two libraries together under one roof were long discussed at that time. They failed of realization then. Why should they not be realized now when the circumstances are propitious?

Mr. BAKER moved that one thousand copies of the annual report, and of the proceedings at the opening of the new Library Building, be printed for distribution. Adopted.

The meeting then adjourned.

FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
Recording Secretary.

PROCEEDINGS

AT THE

FORMAL OPENING

OF THE NEW

LIBRARY AND ART BUILDING,

MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 7, 1887.

[From the Buffalo Courier, Feb. 8, 1887.]

The majestic fire-proof building facing Broadway, Washington and Clinton streets, known as the Buffalo Library, was formally opened last evening with inaugural exercises and a reception, lasting from 8.30 until 11 o'clock. It is the new home not only of the Buffalo Library, but also of the Historical Society, the Fine Arts Academy, and the Society of Natural Sciences, all of which are comfortably and conveniently accommodated in the magnificent structure. The details of the edifice, which has been used for the library during the past few weeks, have already been published. Suffice it to say that the thousands who last evening inspected its elegant appointments were surprised and delighted. Erected at a cost of about $300,000, it is already regarded as a powerful moral force in the city, of which it is an architectural ornament. Among those present last evening were the past and present officers of the different organizations now so happily gathered in one building. The evening was made pleasant with choice music, elegant floral decorations and eloquent speeches.

At 7 o'clock, promptly, the formal exercises, to which the past and present officers of the several societies were invited, began in the lecture room on the second floor. They were very interesting, and a liberal report is herewith given.

Bishop COXE offered the dedicatory prayer, as follows:

DEDICATORY PRAYER.

(IN THE LANGUAGE OF HOLY SCRIPTURE.)

I.

O God, the Protector of all who trust in Thee, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy, increase and multiply upon us Thy mercy, that Thou, being our Ruler and Guide, we may so pass through things temporal, that finally we lose not the things eternal. Grant us, therefore, so to profit by Thy Holy Word as to know the conclusion of the whole matter; that of making many books there is no end and much study is a weariness to the flesh, but to fear Thee and keep Thy commandments is the whole duty of man. Amen.

II.

Blessed be Thy Holy Name that Thou hast put it into the hearts of Thy servants to build this house for the increase of knowledge and for the improvement of the minds of men. Grant that all who shall enjoy the benefit of this good work may show their thankfulness for the same by making a right use of it; to get wisdom and understanding, and to know Thee in all Thy works and in Thy manifold gifts to the children of men; who art God over all, blessed forever. Amen.

III.

Raise up, we pray Thee, benefactors and helpers, by whose ministry the purposes of our founders may be furthered and enlarged. Grant unto all such the wisdom by which a house is builded and the understanding by which it is established, that so by knowledge its chambers may be filled with all precious and pleasant riches. Gather herein the treasures of the ready writer, and specially those words of the wise which are as goads and nails; also, the works of those to whom Thou hast given the cunning of the artist; also the memorials of times that are past, the records of Thy hand in the history of

mankind; and finally the operations of Thy hand in the kingdoms of Nature. Teach us, here, what Thou hast graven in rocks or blazoned in the heavens or set forth in the frame of living creatures of air and sea and of the dry land. Hear us, O Lord, and give to all who shall govern this house hereafter, wisdom and understanding exceeding much, even as the sand which is on the sea-shore; and open the eyes of all men to see Thee in all things created, like Thy servant of old who spake of trees from the cedar in Lebanon even unto the hyssop that springeth out of the wall; who spake also of beasts and of fowl and of creeping things and of fishes; who multiplied proverbs and gave forth songs and goodly words. And so may this house endure, being founded on a rock, for the nurture of youth and the strengthening of wise men; for the adorning of this fair city where we dwell, and, above all, for Thy glory who fillest all things with the majesty of Thy power and the light of Thy goodness and loving-kindness, through Him who hath taught us to say —

Our Father, etc.

DEDICATION.

In the name of God, Amen: we pronounce this house opened and devoted to the good of human minds and spirits; and may the blessing of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Ghost rest upon it, henceforth and forevermore. Amen.

President JEWETT M. RICHMOND followed with this interesting inaugural address:

MR. RICHMOND'S ADDRESS.

Ladies and Gentlemen of the Buffalo Library, of the Academy of Fine Arts, of the Historical Society, and of the Society of Natural Sciences: It is my privilege and pleasure this evening to welcome you to the new library and art building in which our treasures are housed together. You have watched the growth of the building from its beginning to its completion with a lively interest, wondering, with some doubt perhaps, as to whether your expectations of it would be satisfied; and now, looking at the finished structure in its largeness, its beauty and its grace, who is there among the citizens of Buffalo that is not proud of the result?

It is a building that we can feel pride in for many reasons; its exterior is pleasing to the eye; its interior is commodious and

adapted perfectly to the purposes for which it was built; above all, it is owned alike and in common by all who choose to avail themselves of its privileges. Even the stranger within our gates is welcome to books, newspapers, and a pleasant reading-room for the spare hour that he may give to visiting us.

The story of the origin and struggling early growth of the Association which founded this library, and out of which in a certain sense sprang all the institutions now domiciled together here, is a strangely interesting one. Had it never been told, the fit occasion for rehearsing it would be now; but an historian whom no one can willingly work after was found a quarter of a century ago in the late Charles D. Norton, whose historical address at the memorable celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the Young Men's Association, on the 22d of March, 1861, is one of the classics of our local literature and exhaustive of every source of information for the period that it covers and the subject to which it relates.

I think I shall do what is fitting in my office to-night if I simply turn your thoughts back from the work that is now filling us with pride, in this place, to the humbler, harder labors of those men who laid down the foundations on which we have built. Just a glance along our fifty years of past will suffice.

The Young Men's Association of Buffalo, which became by change of name last year the Buffalo Library, appears to have had its birth of organization at a meeting held February 20th, 1836, in the Old Court House, then standing on the very ground which this building now occupies. But, curiously enough, a Buffalo Library had existed long before; for the first public collection of books ever formed in the village of Buffalo was a circulating library which took that name and which came into existence so early as 1816. A few of the 700 volumes which it once possessed are still surviving, I am told, in the Buffalo Library of to-day, and its records and account books, apparently all complete, are carefully preserved in the same safe custody. That oldest of Buffalo libraries was owned by a small company of stockholders; their last recorded meeting was held in 1832, during which year a new library society arose under the name of the Buffalo Lyceum, with aims which embraced other means of intellectual advancement as well. The Lyceum formed a collection of some 300 volumes of books within the first year of its existence, held several debates, arranged several courses of lectures, and exhibited for some time the most encouraging signs of a vigorous life. But it gave way in its turn to the stronger association of young men formed

in 1836, and the latter possessed the field which it has held to such excellent purpose ever since.

Of the first board of officers and managers, elected at the second meeting of the Young Men's Association, on the 29th of March, 1836, one only is still living in our midst, and I count it among the happiest incidents of this evening that he is with us to share our pride and our joy in the great harvest we are gathering from the goodly seed which he helped to plant. Our much-esteemed townsman, Mr. John R. Lee, was the first treasurer of the infant Association, and I understand he has prepared a paper giving some of his early recollections, which you will have the pleasure of hearing this evening.

That the early years of the Association were years of poverty and struggle we know from many reports. The late Oliver G. Steele, in a letter written twenty-six years ago to Mr. Norton, tells us that every variety of schemes was invented to sustain the institution in its usefulness, in which all sexes and ages participated. Fairs, concerts, steamboat excursions, etc., were put in requisition, by which, commanding as the institution always has the hearty sympathy of the ladies, it was carried safely through to more prosperous times. But in 1845, with Gibson T. Williams for president, the Association was rescued from its financial embarrassments, its debt cleared away and a footing of credit established which it never lost again.

The rooms first occupied by the Association were on the east side of Main street, a little below Seneca, in the building then numbered 175, now No. 219. The second home of the library was on South Division street, over the two shops now numbered 13 and 15. At the beginning of 1852 it was removed to ampler quarters in the American Block, on Main street, and showed a growing spirit of enterprise by undertaking the lease and management of American Hall, underneath which its rooms were placed. We may call that the period of youth in the life of the Association. It reached the full age and full stature of maturity in 1864, when it boldly purchased the large, fine property on Main, Eagle and Washington streets, consisting of St. James Hall and the then St. James Hotel, which has been for twenty years since its home and its support. To that most sagacious transaction, accomplished under the leadership of the late S. V. R. Watson, then president, with the powerful support and counsel of such men as Joseph Warren, Dean Richmond, Sherman S. Jewett, and their like, the Library owes the uncommonly prosperous career that it has pursued, without any interruption, to the present time. With its settlement in the commodious new rooms

prepared for it in the hotel building, receiving an increase from rents that became larger year by year, under shrewd and thrifty management, its accumulations of books began at once to assume importance, and to mount up in value with great rapidity; and so not many years passed before our treasures of literature seemed too precious to be exposed to the danger of fire and to the equal danger of quenching floods, and a new anxiety arose to disturb the the satisfaction we could otherwise feel. Among all who cared for the library there were nervous fears at every ringing of the alarm bell. Then talk of a new building began, of a building to be fire-proof and safe, and worthy of a young, proud city. The talk gained earnestness from year to year through more than a whole decade, until it passed from talk to determined action in 1883. It was brought to that point at last by the proceedings of nine gentlemen, who interposed to prevent the sale of the Old Court House ground for commercial uses, and who bought it from the County Supervisors, with the stipulation that it should be held twelve months subject to the purchase by some one or more of several institutions for art or literary purposes. The names of those nine gentlemen deserve to be well remembered; they were Sherman S. Rogers, Sherman S. Jewett, James M. Smith, Francis H. Root, Charles Berrick, O. P. Ramsdell, George Howard, Dexter P. Rumsey and Pascal P. Pratt. Their generous and public-spirited movement gave the stimulus that was needed to the long-considered project of the Young Men's Association. It entered upon the undertaking to erect a building on the fine site proposed, and to do so on a scale that should provide for the present needs of the Academy of Fine Arts, the Society of Natural Sciences, and the Historical Society. The success of its undertaking was assured when Edward B. Smith was elected president. Hardly any other man would have pushed the public subscription raised in aid of the scheme to the magnitude that it attained (about $115,000) under the resolute labors of Mr. Smith. Not many men would have accomplished for the enterprise, in the same time and under like circumstances, so much as was done by Mr. Smith in the two years of his administration. We were fortunate in having his leadership, and our good fortune followed us from the outset of the undertaking to its finish. What rarer good fortune could we have had than in the choice of our architect, who has given us a monumental work, to be ranked, we believe, without dispute, among the notable creations of American art? Mr. Eidlitz has told us that he found a great opportunity in this building, but opportuni-

ties are apt to be great only in the hands that can make most of them, and it was our fortune that this one fell to him who could make it golden. We were fortunate in having the aid and energetic help of our superintendent, J. N. Larned, who has had very much to do with the plan of the interior of the building. We had good fortune, too, in our builder, and in the general distribution of our work among honest contractors and capable workmen, with fewer exceptions than common.

And so we have come happily to the end of a really great public enterprise, and are here to-night to celebrate its practical completion. We are here to open the hospitable doors of this great temple of many Muses, and to welcome the people for whom it was built. The Buffalo Library welcomes all; but let its first welcome be given to the associate institutions and societies over which its roof-tree is spread. It welcomes the Society of Natural Sciences to the ample rooms that have been prepared for it below, with regret that some delays have occurred which prevented the large collections of the Society from being duly arranged as yet. It welcomes the Academy of Fine Arts with congratulations upon the amplitude and the beauty of the exhibition-rooms and the class-rooms that it occupies. It welcomes the Historical Society and rejoices in the perfect safety that has been secured at last for the precious stores of local relics and archives which the earnest labors of the Society have gathered up.

And, now, let our greeting and our welcome go out to all the people of Buffalo, young and old, who care for learning and books. We invite them, everyone, to join us in membership and be one with us; but whether they do so or no, our hospitality extends to them. For the consultation of books within its walls this library is free. Let us hope that the day is not far when it may be equally free in the circulation of books; but not in any manner that will dissolve the proprietary association by which its fine estate of lands, buildings and books is administered and owned. It must surely be practicable to place the library in relations to the City of Buffalo that will make it substantially as free to the general public as other city libraries are free, while reserving enough privileges to make membership still desirable and keep its membership alive.

The occasion is a fit one for taking this subject into our thoughts. To spread wider all the influences for good that can be made to act from this grand center of art and knowledge is the ambitious aim that must inspire us hereafter. Free books, free science, free art—

let us hope that no long time will bring us to that freedom in every one of the institutions which are now gathered as in a great university here.

The Hon. SHERMAN S. ROGERS, as a substitute for President THOMAS F. ROCHESTER of the Fine Arts Academy, delivered a happily conceived address as follows:

MR. ROGERS' ADDRESS.

Ladies and Gentlemen: The honored president of the Buffalo Fine Arts Academy—rash man—has deputed me to speak for him to-night. We all know him for a man of few words, and in that, at least, I can emulate his example. A few words of history, a few words of congratulation, and I shall have done.

Time and change have not been idle with us, but I see about me to-night many who must have been present at the first public art exhibition held in Buffalo. It was in December, 1861. Like so many other good things, the Young Men's Association had it in hand. Indeed, it conceived it and carried it through. The late Joseph Warren, that most kindly and charming gentleman, that able, intelligent and patriotic citizen, was then president of the Association, and it was in the dreary, sad and anxious first winter of the war that, with the assistance of his board of managers and others whom he so well knew how to combine in worthy undertakings, he gave us that exhibition. I remember it well. It was like a gleam of sunshine over our storm-beclouded sky; like a strain of heaven-born melody rising above the clanging discords of war. And, would you believe it, the Maestro who chiefly evoked it is here to-night, as full of life, as fond of art, as cunning of hand, as generous of personal service, as he was a quarter of a century ago. A few days hence he will be hanging on the line—not the Maestro, but his portrait, I mean—on the wall of our new gallery. I know I am making him blush, but I am half inclined to say—nay, I will say it—one of these days, when some Buffalo Lorenzo has presented us the "portrait of a gentleman" by Van Dyke, and another by Rembrandt, and still others by Tintoretto, and Titian, and Sir Joshua Reynolds, the managers of the Buffalo Academy of that day need not be ashamed to hang by their side the portrait of their first superintendent by himself.

But a word more of that art exhibition. Out of it, in great measure at least, came this Academy. When the future historian,

writing of our great civil war, and looking for truth more in the deeds of the time than in its talk, shall inquire as to the spirit and temper of the North in those days of defeat and humiliation, I think he may find one of some significance in this: that on the 8th day of November, 1862, a few of our leading citizens founded the Buffalo Fine Arts Academy.

I confess to a feeling of pride as I recall the fact that its first president was my own honored and beloved kinsman, Henry W. Rogers. Would you know the spirit with which the enterprise was started? Let me read to you from the address of Mr. Selstedt, read at the annual opening ten years later. There was immediate need of money, and Messrs. Rogers and Hazard were appointed a committee to obtain it. "They started on their mission," says Mr. Selstedt, "on the morning of the 11th of December, and before 6 P. M. had twelve subscribers of $500. They afterwards obtained one more, making the whole amount $6,500." Could we do much better to-day? "Would you know," Mr. Selstedt continues, "the names of the Guard of Honor? They are Henry W. Rogers, George S. Hazard, Sherman S. Jewett, David S. Bennett, Bronson C. Rumsey, Charles Ensign, Chandler J. Wells, John Allen, Jr., Lauren C. Woodruff, Pascal P. Pratt, Stephen V. R. Watson, Francis H. Root, and James Brayley."

The formal inauguration of the Academy took place on the 23d of December of the same year. Mr. Rogers held his office for two years. Mr. George S. Hazard succeeded him. From 1869 to 1871 Mr. Rogers was again president, and the office has also been filled by Sherman S. Jewett, Eben P. Dorr, C. F. S. Thomas, William P. Letchworth, Sherman S. Rogers, Laurentius G. Selstedt, John Allen, Jr., Josiah Jewett, and Dr. Thomas F .Rochester

Josiah Humphrey, A. M. Farnham and L. G. Selstedt have filled the office of corresponding secretary, and H. Ewers Talmadge and Albert T. Chester that of recording secretary. Dr. Chester's service extends from 1864 to the present time, and it may be safely said that, with the exception of Mr. Selstedt, no member of the executive board has rendered so much or so valuable service.

At the first our art possessions were very cheerfully and pleasantly housed in the Arcade block, on the northeast corner of Main and Clinton streets; afterward in the rooms so kindly provided us by the Young Men's Association in the building they have just vacated, and still later in the Austin fire-proof building on Eagle and Franklin, opposite the City Hall. The Academy had begun to think

it could not afford to be burned out. And now, at last, we are moving "Laramie Peaks," and "The Bay of Capri" and the rest of our treasures, together with some fine old trumpery which we cannot yet spare, into this welcome, thrice welcome home of letters and science and art. Here we trust they may remain until the greater Buffalo which we see yonder in the first quarter of the twentieth century shall need our rooms for the overflowing library, and a secure home shall have been provided for them in a temple of art worthy of a great and generous city.

President Richmond and gentlemen managers of the Buffalo Library, in the name of the Buffalo Fine Arts Academy I congratulate you on the ownership and possession of this grand building. I congratulate you on the public gratitude which is yours and which you have worthily earned by the vigorous, intelligent and persistent energy and public spirit with which you have brought a great undertaking to a successful close. And I congratulate the citizens of Buffalo upon the dignity they have conferred upon the home of their love and pride in the provision they have here made for the higher needs of the city's life.

President DAVID S. KELLICOTT of the Society of Natural Sciences spoke appropriately as follows :

PROF. KELLICOTT'S ADDRESS.

It has been made my pleasant duty to represent on this auspicious occasion the Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences, one of the four associations which are to occupy apartments in this beautiful building dedicated to-night to the pnrposes of learning and popular education. I should neglect a plain duty if, at the outset, I did not unite with those who have preceded me in an expression of appreciation of this noble edifice. Its architectural beauty, its convenience, its completeness and its enduring character make it an object of just pride to every citizen who regards the present and future welfare of this community, and it is with especial gratification and pride that the Society of Natural Sciences acknowledges the favor, at this time, of its shelter and its comforts. This building is a creation, one brought to its present completion by the energy and good judgment of certain of our public-spirited fellow-citizens ; they have given it large and necessary attention ; they should feel much satisfaction to-night on account of the fulfillment of their hopes ; these certainly,

deserve great credit, greater than is likely to be expressed, and, for myself and for those whom I represent, I wish to ascribe to them all due respect and honor.

There is another feature of this enterprise which should not be overlooked. It is a matter for congratulation that the establishment of this library and art building rests upon a popular subscription. A considerable amount of its cost came from those who sacrificed conveniences, if not comforts, by giving, but these contributions were for the means of securing culture and refinement, intellectual and moral progress. It is therefore significant; this is a noble monument architecturally, but it is more noble as an expression of the devotion of the people of Buffalo to letters, art and science.

For the present, four organizations are here united; their activities are concentrated; their aims are one whilst their ways of attaining truth and imparting instruction differ. This union is not accidental; that these interests should find shelter here was in the minds of the founders when they pledged support; they wished it, for they had interest in all. I am confident that the future harmony of action, mutual assistance and mutual good feeling will justify the course taken and fulfill the hopes of the benefactors. Natural growth may cause separation in the future, but separation for this cause will not be an affliction, however beneficial and desirable a union is now. I believe it to be the purpose of and possible for the Society of Natural Sciences to meet the expectations of those who have freely benefited it in the past; in short, to do its work and part in this, Buffalo's college of liberal arts and fine arts. The apartments designed for occupation by the Society, it is thought, will prove quite satisfactory, and in them the activities of the Society will be resumed as soon as suitable cases, etc., can be provided for the proper display and safety of its collections and its library. At the farthest a few weeks ought to be sufficient for the necessary preparation to begin work in better rooms with more conveniences than the Society has at any time enjoyed. This event, therefore, marks an epoch in its history. It may be known to you that it has just completed twenty-five years of existence, and it seems well that I should revert briefly to what it has accomplished during its first quarter of a century. I shall not weary you with an attempt at a history of its achievements; if this were the occasion, I am not the one properly to do it, for there are those with us who have known and aided it from the beginning; those whose names appear on the title page of its proceedings. It is for some one of these to write our history, not

only from the records, but from experience and personal knowledge. The first page of the minutes contains the following :

"Buffalo, December 5, 1861 (Tuesday evening). Pursuant to a call through the papers, those interested in and connected with the formation of the Society met in lower St. James Hall for the purpose of organization, Judge Clinton in the chair and T. Howland secretary. The meeting being called to order, was addressed by Judge Clinton, and remarks were made by Drs. Clarke, Havens and others."

After the reading and adoption of rules for government, officers were nominated and elected. This is the list :

President—Hon. Geo. W. Clinton.
First Vice-President—A. T. Chester, D. D.
Second Vice-President—Charles Winnie, M. D.
Corresponding Secretary—Samuel Slade.
Recording Secretary—Theodore Howland.
Treasurer—Leon F. Harvey, M. D.
Librarian—Richard K. Noye.
CURATORS—*General Zoology*—George E. Hayes, M. D.
Ornithology—Prof. Wm. S. Van Duzee.
Herpetology and Ichthyology—Hiram E. Tallmadge.
Entomology—Charles D. Marshall.
Conchology—Coleman T. Robinson.
Botany—C. C. F. Gay, M. D.
Geology—Charles S. Farnham.
Paleontology—David F. Day.

Judge Clinton remained the president of the Society until his removal to Albany in 1881. His virtues as a citizen, his devotion to the Society and to the advancement of science, are too well known to need repetition here. It is conceded that the success of the Society is largely due to his spirit and his labors. The record of his investigations on the flora of this vicinity must remain forever an honor to him, a benefit to all students of our plants, and a heritage of the Society. Our extensive collection of plants, now known as the Clinton herbarium, is the result of years of untiring industry, and appropriately bears the name of its author. I may add that it is the only collection of plants within reach of the general student of botany in the city.

The first president was succeeded by Dr. George E. Hayes, himself one of the first curators, and a constant supporter of the Society while he lived, and by his will he endowed it with a larger amount than was ever given by an individual to scientific associations in America. The bequest of Dr. Hayes renders it possible in the future

for this Society to take rank with those of Boston and Philadelphia. He has established a perpetual free school of science in Buffalo, to be administered by the Society. Coleman T. Robinson and Charles F. Wadsworth, curators at the first organization, have both contributed large amounts to the Society's possessions and largely to its standing. The latter left it the Wadsworth collection of minerals, which is indeed a treasure, first for its intrinsic value as a carefully selected collection; second, because it is within reach of our students and it is the only one thus accessible. The former left us by will his library and the greater part of the present available invested funds. The valuable library thus begun has been increased by purchase and by exchange for the Bulletin of the Society, until local students of science find here the means of investigation found nowhere else in Western New York. I will take the time to mention another matter which lends interest and value to this collection of books. I shall not be disputed, I think, in the assertion that more original descriptions of insects have been founded upon and referred to the identical books of this library than to any other collection in America. I refer to the descriptions by C. T. Robinson, A. R. Grote, L. F. Harvey and others.

There are other valuable collections which can scarcely be more than mentioned, for example that of local birds; by it our students may identify almost every species taken here; the beautiful collection of European birds purchased, I am told, by subscription of the board of managers at a regular meeting; then the water-lime fossils, the finest in any collection; the collection of shells and others deserve mention but must be omitted. Their money value I dare not attempt to express. Now that they are stored in a fire-proof building, there is relief from anxiety.

For what reason, so far as the public is concerned, do such societies exist? I answer: First, they are educators in the broadest sense; second, they encourage investigation, discover and make known the facts and laws of Nature; knowledge which becomes of more and higher importance as society advances. The first depends upon the possession of collections, libraries of technical books, general discussions and personal instruction; the second depends upon all these as well as the furnishing of laboratories, apparatus and aid in publication. I think I have made it plain that the Society possesses useful educational collections and invaluable books. I will add that its discussions are public; the latch-string is always out; and that the director of the museum will cheerfully give assistance

to those who come to use our facilities for study. The rooms will be open daily to all who enter for a serious purpose and who behave themselves. Again, there are no charges at the door, and its objects on exhibition are plainly labeled. The design is to reach all who are disposed to profit by these means, and to interest them. There has been encouraging success under unfavorable conditions; under those possible in the immediate future there should be triumph. There are now in schools, and coming into prominence in the professions, a good number of young men whose love for science, and perhaps for learning itself, was laid in the operations of this Society. These will be heard from for good in the future, and will no doubt aid heartily in advancing our cause and usefulness.

In passing, allow me to correct a false impression that appears to have gone forth, viz.: That the Society is at present asleep. It is not; its meetings have not been better attended, nor its papers and discussions of higher character at any time in its history. In closing, let me say I feel how imperfectly I have represented the interest for which I have spoken. I have tried to show that it is worthy of the confidence and attention it has received or may receive; that it is one of the institutions of Buffalo; one that may confidently hold up its head among its associates and expect and receive regard and sympathy.

Permit me through you, their representatives, to invite the people of the city to a more thorough acquaintance and deeper interest in the Society of Natural Sciences. Rooms have significantly been provided for it down among the solid foundations upon which so much rests and where it is accessible. The natural sciences are more and more being recognized as suitable for the training of the young, the foundation for broad culture, and the occupation of the serious. The Society is your own, one of your educators; know it, respect it, cherish it.

The Hon. JAMES SHELDON, in behalf of the Historical Society, said:

JUDGE SHELDON'S ADDRESS.

Mr. President: The Buffalo Historical Society has gathered its precious archives and treasures and comes, timidly, to nestle in this magnificent edifice, by the side of its prouder and older sister associations who are devoted to the cultivation of art or literature or the sciences. In its origin, it was but an humble off-shoot of the Young

Men's Association, which, for so long, has been the pride of our city, and after some twenty-five years of struggles for existence it has become recognized in its position of influence and honor. It is but just to award to Millard Fillmore, an ex-President of the United States, the chief merit of laying the foundation of this Society, so broad and deep that those who have succeeded him have been enabled to erect the fair fabric of a public institution dedicated to the work of gathering and preserving the material and memorials of the history of our country. And to-night its friends and official representatives have come to meet in fraternal sympathy with those of our other institutions who are to occupy this beautiful home, and rejoice together in the consummation of a work which will dignify our city, and be a lasting source of civic pride.

But, however devoted any one may be to the prosperity of the institution with which he is, at this time, more immediately connected, it must be conceded that it is to the influence of the Young Men's Association, during the half-century of its existence, that we should, in justice, ascribe the growth and maturity of that sentiment and desire for the improvement of humanity, which has created the various associations whose representatives are gathered here this evening Our Historical Society, our Academy of Fine Arts and our Society of Natural Sciences, have been born of that Alma Mater, and fostered and protected until they, too, have become strong and influential in their respective individuality, and can never fail in awarding to it the tributes of love and regard. Therefore would I, as one connected with it in all my days from boyhood, desire to speak of it tenderly and hopefully, as of the first love of enthusiastic youth.

The founders and benefactors of that association accomplished a good work, that has for its object the cultivation of the moral nature of man, and the improvement of the intellect. The mind of an infant is a waste, that the lapse of years should plant with bright and beautiful flowers of soul. At manhood it should be a well-pruned garden. But in its early days let not the weeds of ignorance grow up and flourish upon that prolific soil. Surround it by good examples and motives that incite it to good actions; inform and strengthen it by placing within its reach the means of acquiring knowledge, and you confer a blessing upon the world. To this end, gentlemen, that the young in their early days may here draw freely from a pure fountain of knowledge, its library is stored with the choice gems of the ancient and modern world. It is a vast and well-arranged storehouse of the erudition of ages, formed from the operations of great

and inquiring minds, the results of whose thoughts and labors have shed bright rays of light upon the world, and will continue to inform and illuminate the human intellect for centuries to come.

Whatever science has done, with its scimiter of truth, to purge the mind of error and direct its course to higher and nobler objects of man's regard, is here laid open for your contemplation. The investigations of self-sacrificing, patient thought in every branch of useful art, stand treasured upon the shelves in many a simple tome, whose pages beam with the brightness of the knowledge and wisdom that is gathered therein. These great results of the inquiry of years, so convenient to our hands, so inviting to the liberal mind, and ready to be extended to the utmost stretch of earthly wisdom, are before us and open freely to every citizen, to be grasped and mastered only by that silent, lonely devotion, known to the student of wondrous nature. But should any shrink from that stern course of toil, and prefer to tread in the flowery paths of literature, they have here the gathered wit and genius of all time with which to charm the hours of leisure, to cultivate and discipline and refine the mind, and awaken the noblest and purest thoughts and emotions in the soul. And here, the volume of history, with its long succession of events, its narration of the actions of good and bad men, some ever striving for their country's welfare and nobly perishing in a country's cause; some, restless and misguided, working the dark ills of conspiracy and wrong; history, with its spirit-stirring tale, more wonderful than fiction, offers to all its pages, teeming with examples of virtue, its precepts drawn from the experience of the world.

How rich and varied, then, the treasures that have been gathered through much toil for the refinement of our minds, and how bountifully do we see the stores of learning and information spread before our people! Who knows how many souls have been made glad even in the few years that have smiled upon the association, when they drank deeply of the fountains of knowledge and enjoyed with so little cost the wisdom of the past or ranged uncontrolled amid the creations of those master-spirits of genius and song who have so long held the world spell-bound, though now faded in the dust of centuries. Who knows, as he looks down the vale of years, what influence shall here be exerted upon the minds of men, what first awakened thoughts of fame or virtue, what desires for knowledge and truth shall here have birth, or how many youthful souls shall here first imbibe the spirit of emulation and breathe forth an ardent yet half-suppressed hope for something of the future, as they read of the

great and good of the past, of those whose memories are crowned with immortal honor.

Such will be the result of our voluntary labor and contributions, such the return that we know will reward the exertion of our people to sustain and enlarge the sphere of action and influence of the mother institution of our city. And what young man can hesitate to aid its welfare when he reflects one moment, with a liberal and generous spirit, upon the incalculable benefits and blessings that he will confer upon himself and the generations to come; or what parent will coldly say, "I care nothing for its prosperity," when he beholds these great avenues to knowledge and improvement here opened and ready for his children to enjoy? One train of noble thought, one sentiment of virtue, a single desire to emulate the example of the illustrious dead, implanted in the bosom of his child, would amply, richly repay his sacrifices to sustain it in its integrity.

Mr. President, it is a matter of sincere congratulation that these sister societies are now gathered, after many wanderings, within this spacious temple, consecrated to the amelioration and improvement of our humanity. They are dependent each upon the others for their development and prosperity, and whatever of honor or of glory either may attain will enure to the common good of all. There will exist that friendly rivalry which is a just and great incentive to exertion, and we may differ as to the place of honor or of dignity, but the fact will remain, as in all the ages, that although Apelles may glorify the canvas with the fabled Venus rising from the sea, or Phidias breathe life into the animated marble, or Science unfold the wonders and mysteries of the universe, or Literature forever lead her votaries in flowery paths, yet, it is History, with its iron pen of truth, that alone chronicles, for all time, the triumphs and achievements of mankind. Whatever is said or done here to-night, whatever transpires this day upon this great earth, would fade from the memory of man, were it not recorded and embalmed in the pages of history. A learned man has declared that the labors of the historian were the first in point of literary dignity and utility, for history is everything, and religion, art, science, literature, whatever men do or think, falls within the scope and domain of history. And who does not recall the apothegm of Bolingbroke, that history is philosophy teaching by example, and recognize the truth of the prophetic claim of Thucydides, that he gave his relations to the world as an everlasting possession?

Our Historical Society, in common with some two hundred kindred societies, is engaged in gathering and garnering all material relating to the history of our country, and particularly to that of our vicinity.

It is fortunate for us that our history, as a nation, does not begin with traditions or fabulous legends, and that we are not called upon to brighten obscure antiquities.. Even in New England have the incidents of the earliest settlements and the actions and lives of the Pilgrim Fathers and their descendants for generations been well preserved. But the work of our society is mainly devoted to the condition of Western New York and the frontier at the time of their earliest discovery, and to record, in minutest detail, the facts concerning their development and prosperity to the present time; and in our manuscripts and pamphlets and relics and publications we have already gathered the very material of our local and national history. We make no other claim for consideration and support from the generous public than is made by our sister societies, confident that we shall receive a reasonable share of that sympathy with our aims and purposes which has never been appealed to in vain.

It remains for our men and women to cherish these institutions, and enable them to extend their beneficial influence upon our community. And, judging by the past, we are confident they will be maintained, to the great honor and dignity of our city.

And now, in the name of the genius of universal education, I dedicate this edifice to the noble purposes for which it has been erected. I dedicate it to the work of illuminating the human understanding and informing and elevating the soul by the purest and holiest influences. I dedicate it to the glorious cause of enfranchising our human nature from the dominion of ignorance and sin, and arraying it in the beautiful garments of knowledge and virtue. And, finally, I dedicate it as a temple consecrated to our humanity, upon whose altars the watch-fires of education and morality and liberty, now kindled, shall never cease to burn.

Let it stand, another monument raised up by the animating spirit of American liberty and American republicanism, and the fragrance of the incense of your offering shall ascend in all generations.

MR. LEE'S REMINISCENCES.

A very interesting communication from Mr. JOHN R. LEE, the only survivor of the first Board of Managers of the Young Men's Association, was read by the Secretary, Mr. E. H. Rounds, as follows:

To Mr. J. M. Richmond, President, and his Official Associates of The Buffalo Library.

GENTLEMEN—It was but a few days since that the fact of my being the only survivor of the first board of officers of the Young Men's Association in the year 1836 came to my knowledge; and with this information came the suggestion that some items of early recollection would be appropriate to the occasion of the formal opening of the new Library Building.

Standing alone, as it were, and throwing the thoughts back to the day of arrival at the then far-famed city of Buffalo, in 1831, with intent to there settle for a business life, it is only to follow along the passing years to the present day, to be profoundly met with an astonishment without parallel. A population of less than six thousand increased to two hundred and fifty thousand tells the story of progress, and the possibilities of existing developments.

The history of the Young Men's Association is all a matter of record, but as a personal gratification a recurrence to names so familiar in 1836, and some incidents, are here indulged in.

The twenty-second day of February, 1836, was the birthday of the Young Men's Association. The meeting at the Court House on the evening of that day was numerously attended in answer to the following call which appeared in the *Commercial Advertiser's* issue of February 20th:

YOUNG MEN'S ASSOCIATION.—The young men of Buffalo, friendly to the foundation of a Young Men's Association for mental improvement in literature and science, are requested to meet at the Court House on Monday, February 22d, at the hour of seven o'clock P. M.

The matter to be presented for consideration had been previously prepared at the office of Hon. Seth C. Hawley, of the well-known law firm of Barker, Hawley & Sill. Mr. Hawley's attention had been called to the subject in the fall of 1835, into which he entered most heartily, but, owing to press of professional business, the month of February, 1836, arrived before sufficient progress had been made preparatory to bringing the matter before the public. Several of the preliminary meetings at Mr. Hawley's office are well remembered, and that of the 22d of February particularly so, in recollection of an incident that occurred. A gentleman of the legal profession, having Washington's birthday on the brain, offered a resolution requiring that the day for holding the anniversary meeting should always occur on the 22d day of February, which caused a broad smile all around. Why this could not be adopted was soon apparent to the mover, and his motion withdrawn. The result of this meeting, with one adjourn-

ment, was the full organization of the Young Men's Association, with the following named gentlemen for its first board of officers:

For President—Seth C. Hawley.
Vice-Presidents—Charles Winne, Samuel N. Callender and George Brown.
Corresponding Secretary—Frederick P. Stevens.
Recording Secretary—A. G. C. Cochrane.
Treasurer—John R. Lee.
Managers—Oliver G. Steele, Henry K. Smith, Wm. H. Lacy, George W. Allen, Charles H. Raymond, Henry R. Williams, George E. Hayes, Halsey R. Wing, Rushmore Poole and Hunting S. Chamberlain.

The year 1836 was the one in which occurred the collapse of that unprecedented whirlwind of speculation in real estate. The degree of insanity prevalent in those days can be conjectured when the fact is stated that corner lots even, when offered for sale, were readily taken by parties making payments in notes at sixty days, confidently expecting that within that time a cash sale could be effected with a gain of 25 to 50 per cent. for the pocket. To the state of monetary demoralization which followed is the fact owing, that of the subscriptions obtained that year to the library fund of nearly six thousand dollars, only about one-third of that amount was realized within the year.

Of those who met their liabilities promptly and have passed "beyond the confines of time," a recalling of their names on this occasion may afford gratification to friends, as it certainly does to the writer, as all were intimate acquaintances in the business and social walks of life. The names are taken from the original record, with the sums paid by each.

George B. Gleason,	$ 50	William Williams,	$ 50
John A. Newbould,	50	Joy & Webster,	200
John Prince,	50	Robert Hollister,	50
Thomas Kip,	100	A. C. Stevens,	50
Augustus Raynor,	50	Dean & KcKinney,	300
Sextus Shearer,	100	Jacob A. Barker,	100
Lucius H. Pratt,	50	Henry Root,	100
William Hollister,	50	Thomas Bates,	100
Maynard & Flagg,	50	John R. Macy,	500
A. A. Eustaphieve,	50	Pierre A. Barker,	100

This beginning was a day of small things, but the foundations were well laid, and although for a few years the clouds of disappointment were dark, yet courage never failed, and the outcome of the present day amply compensates for all the time and means which have been expended.

In the month of August, 1865, Mr. S. S. Jewett, then President, learning that the first President of the Association was in the city, a

guest of his brother Hon. Elias S. Hawley, immediately took the necessary steps to tender to the distinguished gentleman a complimentary reception at his spacious mansion on Delaware avenue, and the following note of invitation was issued:

BUFFALO, August 21, 1865.

You are respectfully invited to meet Hon. Seth C. Hawley, first President of the Young Men's Association, and others associated with him at that time, the living ex-Presidents of the Association, the Executive Committee of 1863, '64 and '65, socially at my residence on Wednesday evening, 23d inst., at 8 o'clock.

S. S. JEWETT.

This was a highly enjoyable gathering, bringing into active exercise both brain and palate. Such occasions are the green spots in the pathway of business life, ineffaceable from memory.

The gifted and lamented Charles D. Norton was President for the year 1850, and on retiring from that position gave an elaborate history of what had been done in years previous to the organization of this Association, going back to 1816 in this grade of public measure. He closes with an earnest appeal, in which he says:

"Consider well what has been accomplished—guard and preserve this institution, gentlemen, it is the ornament of the city—more than that, it is its highest honor." Would that his clarion voice could be heard here this evening, doing ample justice to his successors in office, and to the public spirit of our citizens which has achieved this proud success over which we rejoice to-night. From the days of the indefatigable Watson, down to the present, his successors deserve from the public "a praise that grows not old."

It will be an interesting study to contemplate the future prospects of the Buffalo Library, with its associates in locality, the Fine Arts Academy, the Society of Natural Sciences, and the Historical Society archives; of their growth and prosperity; of the advance of our city in wealth and enterprise, occupying an unrivaled railway terminal point, with commercial relations reaching from tide-water to the far-west; of progress along the decades of years until the period of 1936 is reached, the full centennial of this Association's existence. It is reasonable to conclude that increasing prosperity is to be an important item in the history of the future, and that in many parts of our glorious country, "sweet land of liberty," through the power of the emblem and influence of money in the hands of public-spirited men and women, there will be found scores of institutions which shall emulate the grade and character of The Buffalo Library and Art Building.

JOHN R. LEE.

BUFFALO, N. Y., February 7th, 1887.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS TO THE LIBRARY.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY, 1887.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Abbott, Geo. M., Philadelphia,	..	1
Aberdeen Public Library,	..	1
Albany Young Men's Association,	..	1
Alward, Henry,	3	29
Alward, Dennis R.,	..	1
American McAll Mission,	..	12
American Iron and Steel Association,	..	1
American Ornithologist's Union,	..	1
American Philological Association,	..	1
American Philosophical Society,	1	..
Association for Advancement of Women,	..	2
Austin, Arthur W.,	..	10
Baker & Co., West Dorchester, Massachusetts,	1	..
Beecher, Miss C.,	..	2
Beecher, James C.,	1	..
Becker, Hon. Philip,	..	2
Bennett, Hon. D. S.,	..	1
Birchard Library, Fremont, Ohio,	2	..
Boston, City of,	3	..
Boston Public Library,	1	..
Bowdoin College,	1	1
Brookline, Massachusetts, Public Library,	..	1
Brooklyn Library,	..	1
Bronson Library, Waterbury Connecticut,	..	1
Brown, Walter L.,	2	9
Brymner, Douglas, Archivist,	1	..
Buffalo Board of Health,	1	..
Buffalo City Engineer,	..	1
Buffalo City Clerk,	4	2
Buffalo College of Pharmacy,	..	1
Buffalo Comptroller,	1	..
Buffalo Courier Company,	..	1
Buffalo Fire Department,	..	1
Buffalo General Hospital,	..	1

	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Buffalo Guard of Honor,	6	..
Buffalo Historical Society,	..	3
Buffalo Home for the Friendless,	1	..
Buffalo Orphan Asylum,	..	1
Buffalo Police Commissioners,	..	1
Buffalo Police Superintendent,	..	1
Buffalo State Asylum for the Insane,	..	1
Buffalo Water Works,	1	..
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association,	1	..
Cambridge, Massachusetts, Public Library,	..	1
Chamberlain, Hon. Mellen, Boston,	..	1
Chard, Thomas S., Chicago,	1	..
Charlton, John, M. P.,	12	8
Chelsea, Massachusetts, Public Library,	..	1
Chester, Rev. A. T.,	1	..
Chicago Public Library,	..	1
Chivers, Rev. E. E.,	..	36
Cincinnati Metropolitan Publishing Company,	1	..
Cincinnati Mercantile Library Association,	..	1
Cincinnati Public Library,	1	1
Clark & Company, Robert, Cincinnati,	1	..
Cleveland Public Library,	..	1
Columbia College Library,	..	4
Corcoran, W. E.,	..	1
Cornell University,	..	2
Cox, Hon. W. R.,	..	1
Cruikshank, E., Fort Erie,	..	1
Curtiss, Harlow C.,	1	..
Cutting, T. H.,	1	..
Dairymen's Directory,	1	..
Dante Society,	..	1
Dollmage, H. W., Commercial Advertiser,	..	2
Dyer, Lieut. S. Allen,	1	..
Easton, E. G., London, Eng.,	1	..
Fargo, Mrs. Anna H.,	1	..
Farnham, J. W. D., D. D., Shanghai, China,	1	..
Farquhar, Hon. John M.,	17	8
Felton, C. E., Chicago,	1	..
Fitchburg, Massachusetts, Public Library,	..	2
Fletcher Free Library, Burlington, Vermont,	1	..
Gallagher, Hon. E.,	5	1
Gallup, Albert, New York,	..	1
Gager, John C.,	..	1
Germantown Friends Free Library,	..	1
Gibson, A. M., New York,	1	..
Gloversville, N. Y., Levi Parsons' Library,	..	1
Gluck, James F.,	5	3

	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Gratwick, W. H.,	..	1
Green, Rev. R. S.,	2	..
Guthrie, S. S.,	..	1
Hamlin, Charles,	..	1
Harrison, Gabriel, Brooklyn,	1	..
Hartford Library Association,	..	1
Harvard University Library,	..	3
Hawley, Seth C.,	..	1
Hickman, Arthur W.,	2	51
Hollister, F. M.,	1	3
Hopkins, H. R., M. D.,	1	8
Howland, Henry R.,	1	4
Howard, James H. W.,	1	..
Howard, R. L.,	..	1
Hubbell, Mark S.,	1	..
Indiana Civil Service Reform Association,	..	1
International Committee, Young Men's Christian Association,	1	..
Ives, Mrs. William,	2	..
Johns Hopkins University,	..	2
Johnson, Chrisfield, East Aurora,	..	19
Jones, Rev. W. N.,	6	4
Kellogg, A. B. ("The Roller Mill"),	3	..
Lathrop, Mrs. E.,	..	4
Leeds, Josiah W.,	..	1
Lowell, Middlesex Mechanics Association,	..	1
Lynde, Frank, Westfield, N. Y.,	2	..
Marvin, Perry L.,	55	30
Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics of Labor,	1	..
McClurg & Co., A. C.,	1	..
McLaughlin, J. T.,	1	..
McLellan, Isaac,	1	..
McMillan, Hon. D. H.,	15	34
Medical Press of Western New York,	1	..
Milwaukee Public Library,	2	2
Mitchell, Rev. S. S., D. D.,	..	1
Mixer, Mrs. S. F.,	1	..
Moon, Florence A.,	..	1
New Bedford, Massachusetts, Free Public Library,	..	1
New Orleans Picayune,	..	1
Newton, Massachusetts, Free Library,	1	1
New York Apprentices' Library,	..	1
New York Mercantile Library,	..	1
New York Produce Exchange,	1	..
New York State Adjutant General,	1	..
New York State Board of Charities,	1	..
New York State Bureau of Labor Statistics,	3	..
New York State Civil Service Commission,	..	1

	Vols.	Pamphlets.
New York State Comptroller,	3	..
New York State Entomologist,	1	..
New York State Grand Lodge F. & A. M.,	1	..
New York State Insurance Department,	1	..
New York State Library,	19	..
New York State Regents of the University,	10	..
New York State Superintendent of Instruction,	4	1
New York State Superintendent of Prisons,	1	..
New York State Superintendent of Public Works,	2	..
Niagara University, Buffalo,	..	1
Ohio State Forestry Bureau,	1	..
Omaha Public Library,	..	1
Peabody Museum of Archæology,	..	1
Peabody Institute, Baltimore,	..	1
Peabody Institute, Peabody, Massachusetts,	..	1
Pennel, Robert F.,	49	2
Perrine, Henry E.,	1	..
Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences,	1	..
Philadelphia Library Company,	..	2
Philadelphia Mercantile Library,	12	..
Poole, Herman,	3	..
Providence Atheneum,	1	..
Providence Public Library,	..	1
Putnam, Hon. James O.,	..	1
Relfe Brothers, London, England,	24	..
Richmond, Alonzo,	..	1
Rochester, Mrs. Thomas F.,	1	..
Rochester University,	..	1
Rounds, E. H.,	..	2
Rosenau, N. S.,	..	1
Ryan, Rt. Rev. S. V.,	1	..
Saward, F. E.,	1	..
San Francisco Mercantile Library,	..	1
Scoville, Hon. Jonathan,	7	..
Shephard, F. J.,	1	1
Smith, Junius S.,	..	2
Smithsonian Institution,	1	..
Smith, T. Guilford,	..	2
Springfield, Massachusetts, City Library,	..	1
Staples, O. G., Washington,	..	1
Sterling, Mrs.,	1	..
Stillman, Horace,	1	..
St. Louis Public Library,	1	..
Swansea (Wales) Public Library,	..	2
Taunton, Massachusetts, Public Library,	..	1
Thurstone, William,	3	..
Toledo Public Library,	1	..

	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Toronto Public Library,	..	..
United States Agricultural Department,	..	6
United States Bureau of Statistics,	1	.
United States Bureau of Labor,	1	..
United States Bureau of Navigation,	1	..
United States Bureau of Education,	8	2
United States Civil Service Commission,	1	1
United States Chief Signal Offices,	1	..
United States Fish Commissioner,	4	..
United States Interior Department,	5	..
United States Mint,	1	..
United States National Board of Health,	1	1
Uuited States State Department,	4	2
United States Treasury Department,	4	..
United States War Department,	1	..
Waith, Rev. William,	..	6
Weber, Hon. John B.,	..	4
Wilcox, Ansley,	1	..
Wilkeson, John,	..	6
Williams, Frank F.,	..	1
Wilmington, Delaware, Institute,	..	1
Wilson, James Grant,	..	1
Winsor, Justin,	..	1
Worcester, Massachusetts, Free Public Library,	..	1
Yale College,	1	2

383 volumes of books, 54 maps, 416 pamphlets, etc.

ARTICLES OTHER THAN BOOKS OR PAMPHLETS.

Dickinson, T. E., ... 1 Thermometer.
Farquhar, Hon. John M., ... 50 Maps.
Gluck, James F., ... Collection of Autographs.
Hamlin, C. W., ... 2 Maps.
Hollister, F. M., ... 1 Manuscript.
Howland, Henry R., ... 1 Autograph Manuscript.
Johnson, Chrisfield, ... 2 Maps.
Keene, Miss Mary P., ... 1 Autograph Letter.
Manchester, Mrs. B. A., ... 1 Fireplace Crane, etc.
Root, Samuel (Fairbanks & Co.), ... 1 Thermometer.
Sweeney, James, ... 1 Certificate of Stock, Buffalo Library, 1818.
Smith, T. Guilford, ... 1 Autograph Letter, 4 Pictures.
Wilkeson, John, ... Autograph note of hand, given by Brigham Young, at Mendon, Ohio, in 1830.

PERIODICALS.

Buffalo Christian Advocate, extra file.
Buffalo Commercial Advertiser, extra file.
Buffalo Courier, extra file.
Buffalo Demokrat, extra file.
Buffalo Express, extra file.
Buffalo Freie Presse, extra file.
Buffalo Medical and Surgical Journal.
Buffalo Physicians and Surgeons' Investigator.
Bulletin of the American Iron and Steel Association.
Christian Register.
Civil Service Record.
Erie County Independent.
Franklinville Weekly Register.
Hamburg Journal.
Our Record.
Paris Morning News.
The Voice.

Year.	Paid for Books and Binding.	Paid for papers, periodicals, etc.	Volumes added.	Periodicals and papers taken.	Members elected and paid.	Honorary Members.	Life Members elected.	No. of Paying Members.	Rate of Initiation.	Rate of Dues.	Debt of the Association.	Volumes drawn from Library.	Initiation and Dues.	Cash donations, including life membership.	Net Receipts from lectures.	Amount left in Treasury.	Amount of Library Fund.	PRESIDENTS.
1836	$2,102.87	$730.00	2,700	102	400	...	44	400	$2.00	$2.00	$ 300.00	5,500	$1,234.00	$3,787.00	Free.	$189.15		Seth C. Hawley.
1837	653.13	341.00	86	45	82	8	16	304	2.00	5.00	2,484.00	7,500	1,010.75	1,425.00	Free.	198.19		Seth C. Hawley.
1838	140.51	378.00	no acc	45	53			303	2.00	5.00	2,075.00	6,300	1,121.00	484.00	Free.	78.16		George E. Hayes.
1839		250.00	none.	27	35	...	...	195	2.00	5.00	1,976.00	6,600	1,047.00	297.75	$ 4.50	69.47		Edward Norton.
1840	36.00	323.00	128	28	28		22	124	2.00	5.00	803.00	6,400	675.75	1,253.00	10.00	3.84		Walter Joy.
1841	148.40	284.90	81	33	281	1	7	407	2.00	5.00	408.62	10,400	1,352.00	418.00	35.69	63.64		Warren Bryant.
1842	103.56	289.00	122	36	90	...		401	1.00	3.00	370.04	11,100	1,292.00	35.50	2.00	273.23		W. L. G. Smith.
1843	84.30	158.00	248	42	57			271	1.00	3.00	481.53	9,000	868.75	53.00	7.00	164.74		W. H. Greene.
1844	73.48	204.33	20	no acc	40		1	278	1.00	3.00	545.78	8,000	878 87	52.00	No Lec.	16.75		Jabez B. Bull.
1845	427.60	140.00	385	21	64			458	1.00	3.00		8,200	1,444.44	248.28	162.90	367.93		Gibson T. Williams.
1846	159.82	208.95	155	no acc	63		1	400	1.00	3.00		9,250	1,263.25	51.25	144.47	571 39		Samuel T. Atwater.
1847	574.99	209.54	420	43	133	...	3	475	1.00	3.00		10,600	1,556.56	318.75	31.20	603.38		Thomas C. Welch.
1848	231.97	233.96	170	41	134	1	..	398	1.00	3.00		14,200	1,327.62	227.46	20.77	466.12		James Sheldon.
1849	320.04	190.07	199	31	132	1		445	1.00	3.00		12,000	1,467.12	260.42		546.75		Isaac Sherman.
1850	245.00	196.82	228	30	72	3	...	397	1.00	3.00		9,477	1,262.18	60.00	18.41	349.36		Chas. D. Norton.
1851	382.43	198.76	75	34	276	1	4	797	1.00	3.00		11,600	2,664.60	1,494.00	392.29	1,900.44		J. M. Hutchinson.
1852	796.67	196.87	918	48	266	2	1	814	1.00	3.00		14,440	2,708.36	85.00	152.34	2,038.98		James L. Butler.
1853	1,345.14	202.49	576	52	254	1	1	838	1.00	3.00		19,229	2,769.25	160.50	691.93	2,954.77		Bronson C. Rumsey.
1854	1,618.00	245.51	857	55	184	9	1	853	1.00	3.00		22,995	2,743.63	50.00	380.37	2,214.11		Wells D. Walbridge.
1855	730.88	233 21	679	55	344	9	3	1,070	1.00	3.00		22,793	3,524.74	150.00	271.69	3,040.53		Alex. W. Harvey.
1856	2,068.41	238.45	1,289	55	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,830	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	$ 1,150.00	John G Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	105	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer.
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,647.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	1,200.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682.76	2,500.00	Wm. Fleming.
1860	687.69	186.44	543	50	183	...	6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736.93	2,800.00	David F. Day.
1861	241.80	279.53	277	55	116	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	2,850.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,220.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,200.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	3,300.00	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23,281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633.81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.35	5,206.43	6,628.57	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285 44	5,650.00	8,288.65	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,500.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,775	1.00	3.00	39,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	8,800.00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9.212.05	10,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,897.94	656.08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	11,100.00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.64	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,300.00	Geo. S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.75	700.00	1,144.39	3,702.62	13,950.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768.48	894	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176.40	4.493.34	19,750.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717 23	20,050.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,557.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4.009.75	300.00		2,107.42	20,350.00	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959.25	200.00		3,541.23	20,735.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737.02	20,935.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,355 60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,250.00	72,832	4,107.25	100.00		1.738.02	21,035.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660 24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,085.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,435.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,122.04	21,385.04	Wilson S. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		2,098.76	21,835.04	Charles A. Sweet.
1882	4,519.81	643.00	2,794	111	422	6	6	1,776		3.00	10,500.00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550.00		231.94	22,085.04	Henry Bull.
1883	4,260.71	690.12	3,085	108	337	2	371	1,814		3.00		99,108	4,071.60	25,909.00		1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	116	334		406			3.00		96,113	3,873.00	55,223.25		1,902.86	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,657.34	646.71	3,672	133	327		95	1,369		3.00		84,918	3,144.00	15,218.00		1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,327.97	625.68	3,822	154	337	2		1,509		3.00	225,000.00	59,943	3,917.09			599.38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.

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The President, Mr. JEWETT M. RICHMOND, occupied the chair, and the Secretary, Mr. E. CORNING TOWNSEND, was in his place.

The reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was, on motion, dispensed with.

Reports from the several Committees and Officers of the Association were presented as follows:

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LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

The Library Committee have little to add to the able report of the Superintendent. The report shows increased interest in the Library, an increase in circulation, a very great increase in the use of the reading and reference rooms brought about by the facilities afforded by the new building, a very gratifying success following from the opening of the building on Sunday, a larger demand on all the resources of the institution, and, alas! a very great diminution of income and a prospect but little brighter for many years to come. The Library has been for many years the best manifestation of the public spirit of the younger men of Buffalo. A year ago it seemed as if these many years of unselfish care and thought were to result in full fruition of good to the community. To-night we stand face to face with difficulties that might almost appall us. The pluck and zeal of former generations remain as examples to us of to-day. We have a magnificent building, well equipped, an honor to the community and a source of pride to the citizen. We had hoped that our labors for the past year and in the future would be only in the line of a more complete development, and that the Library Committee might well deserve its name. Our task has almost become one of preservation merely.

The duties heretofore devolving upon the Library Committee are now almost entirely fulfilled by the Superintendent and staff. Under the peculiar circumstances of the present time, your committee feel that, for the immediate future, we can best conserve the interests of the Association by uniting with the other officers in efforts to increase the interest of the community and to develop its resources.

JAMES FRAZER GLUCK.
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SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Since March last, when the Library was suddenly deprived of the greater part of its income by a disastrous fire, our purchases of books have been reduced to the lowest possible amount. It was thought necessary to postpone our most cherished undertakings, which aim at a systematic building up of the book collections of the Library in its several departments, and to limit our acquisitions for the time-being, as nearly as practicable, to the current literature which meets the more popular and pressing demands of the day. Hence the purchases of the year have been less by a thousand volumes than those of the previous twelve months.

This enforced economy, which will need to be continued, no doubt, for a considerable period in the future, is a great misfortune. It impairs the usefulness of our institution more than may be commonly understood. We have reached a stage of development at which, with adequate means, it would be possible to increase the educational influence of the Library in this community almost without limit. The range of demands upon it—of needs from it—increases every day. The intellectual wants of the city, which a public library is expected to answer to, are multiplying much faster than ever before; and this comes, not only from the general advance of the community in culture, but quite as much from its industrial and material progress. As our industries become more scientific in one direction and more artistic in another, and as the multiplying modern applications of science enter more and more into the occupations, the surroundings and the daily habits of our lives, there is a fast increasing demand for knowledge in departments that were altogether neglected a little while ago. It is a comparatively new field of education opening, in which there is no school or university for the mass of people except the public library. It is to the Library that they look for the instruction which they want; it is the most important function

of the Library to supply that want. But an adequate performance of this function involves considerable expense. Books of the classes which I refer to, artistic, scientific and technological —treatises and periodicals in the various domains of electric science, applied chemistry, metallurgy and metal working, mechanics and engineering, architecture and the related arts, drawing and design, and kindred categories—are so costly, as a rule, that even when our income was at its best we were restricted far too much in our purchase of them. Now, when the call upon us for them is greater than ever before, we can scarcely buy them at all.

Nor do I see a fair prospect in the future of sufficient ability on the part of the Library to meet the increasing needs of the increasing body of students, in many fields, who look to it and depend upon it, and for the helping and encouraging of whom it is vastly important to our city that liberal, full provision should be made. Even when our income shall have been restored, it will come to us with a great burden of debt upon it, requiring some heavy reservation every year for a sinking fund or for the payment of bonds. In the most sanguine view of our affairs, it is impossible to look forward to a revenue for the Library that will come up to the needs of such an institution as this is, in such a city as Buffalo has grown to be. It is almost certain that there will be less of an income available for its support than is appropriated to libraries of corresponding rank in other cities, east and west, where their maintenance is from public funds.

It is probable, therefore, that our Library will be unable for many years to adequately encourage the growing disposition in this city toward broader study and exacter knowledge, unless it is helped by the liberality of its friends. My hope for the better equipment that we need, especially in the departments which I have alluded to, is a hopeful anticipation of endowments, by gift or bequest, that may provide special revenues for the purchasing of special classes of books. I feel sure that if an example were given of the endowment of one

such fund,—the fund to be named after its giver and to be sacredly invested in perpetuity, with the annual income that proceeds from it to be applied to the purchase of books for a special department in the Library—it would prove to be so monumental a gift and so admirable in its fruits that the contagion of the example would easily spread. In my visions of the future I sometimes please myself with imagining a long list of such endowment funds inscribed in the books of the Library—perhaps upon its walls. As I contemplate them they are somewhat like this:

"A Fund."—For the purchase of books and periodicals relating to the Fine Arts and the History of Art.

"B Fund."—For the purchase of works on Mechanics, Mechanic Arts and Trades, and Engineering.

"C Fund."—For the purchase of works on Chemistry and Chemical Technology, including Metallurgy and the Working of Metals.

"D Fund."—For the purchase of works on Medicine and Surgery, and the Biological and Hygienic Sciences connected therewith.

"E Fund."—For the purchase of works pertaining to the several branches of Mathematical and Physical Science, including Geology and Mineralogy.

"F Fund."—For the purchase of books in the departments of Botany and Zoölogy.

"G Fund."—For the purchase of books in the German language relating to German History and Politics, or belonging to German Literature.

"H Fund."—For the purchase of books relating to American Local History and Family History.

Concerning another great desire for the Library which I have been feeding with hopes for a long time past, I perceive now that no fulfillment is practicable, unless some generous benefactor may be pleased to undertake it for the public good. A "*Reading Room for the Best Books*" is the ideal it has had in view. A special Reading Room, that is, in which some extremely choice selection of the best books—the very classics of the classics—in all departments of older literature, together with a careful picking of the finer products of current literature, as they appear, shall be brought together in a special room and kept in open cases, free to readers who will use them in the place, but not to be removed. Such a room, I am convinced, would work wonders, in spreading a familiar acquaint-

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The use of books within the Library has increased astonishingly since our present reading-rooms were opened, and since the freedom of them has been more generally understood. Of books from the general collection there have been 15,825 volumes given out for use in the reading-rooms. But the reference books exposed on open shelves in "The Study" are consulted to an extent at least four or five times as great. No record of their use is practicable; but I would estimate that not less than 75,000 to 100,000 volumes, altogether, have been brought into use during the year by students and investigators at the Library Building. Of magazines and periodicals the use is far greater still, and, if account could be kept of it, would undoubtedly be found to exceed a daily average of 500, Sundays included. These are all open to readers in the room assigned to them, and the use is unrecorded. It is pleasant to be able to say that losses are very few.

The opening of the Library reading-rooms on Sunday afternoons has been continued through the year with increasing satisfactoriness. Generally speaking, the use of the rooms is only limited by the number of seats in them. As a rule, too, the Sunday frequenters are people not seen much in the Library on other days. They are always quiet, well-behaved, and studious. Not an instance of disorder has occurred. The casual visitors to the building on Sunday, who come merely to look about, are still more numerous and are counted by hundreds on every fine day. This popular visitation of the building has been increased by the Sunday opening of the Art Gallery and the Museum of the Society of Natural Sciences, and it all tends, without a doubt, to the wholesome awakening of a popular interest in things of the superior plane.

I append the customary statistics of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED.

APPENDIX.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Bound Volumes.		Pamphlets.
	Net additions.	Total.	Total.
Bibliography,	29	502	795
General cyclopedias,	4	253	...
General periodicals,	29	1,204	11
Polygraphy, etc.,	3	224	1
Philosophy,	43	1,096	94
Religion,	185	4,456	139
Law, Politics and Political Economy,	565	4,635	593
Education,	33	569	374
Commerce,	58	663	291
Statistics,	44	406	41
Other Social Subjects,	9	637	124
Philology,	35	453	17
Natural Science,	181	3,189	109
Useful Arts,	18	3,086	309
Fine Arts,	107	2,016	65
Literary periodicals,	96	3,106	...
English poetry, criticism, etc.,	26	3,955	45
English prose fiction,	...	8,345	2
German poetry, etc.,	34	448	...
German prose fiction,	1	559	...
French poetry, etc.,	12	651	1
French prose fiction,	7	840	...
Italian literature,	17	146	2
Spanish literature,	5	78	...
Greek and Latin,	20	375	1
Other literature,	33	350	3
Geography and travel,	167	4,242	84
Biography,	141	4,456	154
History: America,	80	2,230	254
History: Other countries,	154	3,881	67
Local history and literature,	90	799	1,380
		57,850	4,956
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		635	
Total,		58,485	

Added during year:

	Volumes.
By purchase,	1,962
By gift,	556
By exchange,	480
By binding,	193
	3,191

Withdrawn from books in use:

	Volumes.
Worn out and condemned,	133
Lost and paid for,	8
Poor edition replaced,	2

Withdrawn from duplicates not in use:

Exchanged,	381
	524
Cost of books purchased,	$3,152.00
Paid for binding,	572.35

COMMITTEE ON LECTURES.

Your Committee on Lectures respectfully report that no lectures have been undertaken during the past year under the direct auspices of the Library, nor with any responsibility assumed by it. But with the approval of many officers of your Board, an interesting experimental course was organized last December by the Superintendent, and has been successfully conducted during three months since. The idea of the course was borrowed, on a suggestion made by Prof. Herbert B. Adams of Johns Hopkins University, from the system of popular class-lectures which has been introduced in England under the name of " University Extension." It is an attempt to give, outside of colleges, courses of lectures of the same systematic character that a professor in college gives to his

class, with accompanying discussion and questioning, and with a guidance of reading in the lines of the lectures for those who will follow it. The course undertaken here was in Economic Science, and Edward W. Bemis, Ph. D., of Springfield, Mass., a well-known economist, was engaged for it. The success of the experiment was most gratifying, and it is the opinion of your committee that one or more courses of the same character, but on other lines of instruction, should be undertaken next winter as a part of the educational work of the Library itself.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY W. SPRAGUE.
PORTER NORTON.
E. CORNING TOWNSEND.
SEWARD A. SIMONS.

COMMITTEE ON NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

Your Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals would respectfully report that they have expended during the past year the sum of $800.51, for which we have had on file:

Daily Newspapers,	40
Weekly Publications,	39
Fortnightly,	1
Monthlies,	64
Bi-Monthly,	1
Quarterlies,	19
Irregular,	9
Total,	173

Respectfully submitted,

E. H. ROUNDS.
SEWARD A. SIMONS.
PORTER NORTON.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.

Your Committee respectfully report that the expenditure for printing during the past year has amounted to the sum of $337.42, exclusive of the cost of the supplements to the Finding List which have been added from time to time.

Respectfully submitted,

SEWARD A. SIMONS.
JAS. F. GLUCK.
F. F. WILLIAMS.

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP.

The total membership of the Library is now as follows:

Life Members,	1,230
Annual Members,	1,614
Honorary Members,	44
Total,	2,888

This is a clear increase of one hundred and twenty life members and one hundred and five annual members. Six hundred new annual members have been elected during the year, and but ninety-one have resigned, while nineteen have removed from the city, fifteen are known to have died, and seven have become life members; three hundred and sixty-three is the number dropped from the roll of membership on account of non-payment of dues.

Of annual members there are one thousand one hundred and thirty-four males and four hundred and eighty females.

The number of life members known to have died during the year is twenty-six.

Respectfully submitted,

R. H. PLUMB.
E. H. ROUNDS.
C. A. POOLEY.

COMMITTEE ON DONATIONS.

Your Committee on Donations would respectfully report that during the past year the Buffalo Library has received by gift five hundred and seventy-six volumes of books and five hundred and sixty-one pamphlets. Of this number some are duplicates of books already possessed, but which are, nevertheless, valuable for purposes of exchange.

The increased number of donations over former years is very gratifying to the Association, as it shows a greater spirit of generosity in its friends, and a desire on the part of Buffalonians and foreigners to place the Buffalo Library foremost in the ranks of like institutions. Many, whose past generosity has been acknowledged by the Library, have again favored us with valuable publications. The Hon. John M. Farquhar increased his former gifts by twenty-two volumes of congressional records and has rendered constant services to the Library in procuring publications that it needs. Rev. W. M. Jones presented fifteen volumes, mostly gathered by him to complete our set of the Navy Register. From the United States Signal Office the Library has received many books of great interest. The geological works received from Professor Horace Briggs increase the usefulness of that department of study. The Library would further acknowledge from Hon. M. M. Southworth autograph letters of Henry Clay and Levi Woodbury; from Rev. J. Leonard Corning autograph manuscript sermon of Henry Ward Beecher; from Rev. James Storer the Gospel of St. John for the blind; from John Wilkeson, Esq., an autograph letter of Hon. DeWitt Clinton, and from Mrs. Charles W. Gibbons an exceedingly interesting volume of autographs; from Mrs. Falk a very valuable copy of the Talmud of Jerusalem, in twelve volumes, and of the works of Maimonides, in four volumes, which had belonged to the library of the late Rev. Samson Falk; from John Croumbie Brown, LL.D., of Scotland, fifteen volumes of his own valuable writings on Forestry, and from Rev. G. W. Cutter a fine

set of Picart's Religious Ceremonies, with all the valuable plates complete.

We would further mention the gifts of John Charlton, Esq., member of the Canadian Parliament, Hon. D. S. Bennett, Douglas Brymner, Esq., Archivist of Canada, Messrs. James F. Gluck, Frank F. Williams, Henry R. Howland, Dr. Roswell Park and Hon. Jonathan Scoville. Also from the Surtees Society of England twenty-five volumes of very valuable matter; from the various departments of the United States Government and from many foreign and local institutions of learning. Other gifts of interest have been received which are enumerated in detail in the appendix, which forms a part of this report.

For these and the many other favors received in the past, your committee would express its sincere thanks.

Respectfully submitted,

E. CORNING TOWNSEND.
SEWARD A. SIMONS.
HENRY W. SPRAGUE.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

To	Salaries,	$6,171.12
	Sundry library expenses,	132.64
	Stationery,	177.84
	Supplement to Finding List,	98.33
	Binding,	572.35
	Books,	3,152.00
	Printing,	337.42
	Newspapers and periodicals,	800.51
	Telephone,	50.00
	Water,	29.25
	Room expenses,	235.02
	Gas,	284.15
	Electric light,	1,304.28
	J. R. Howell,	40.81
	D. E. Morgan & Son,	163.90
	Reception expenses,	531.13
	W. J. Baker,	150.00
		$14,230.75
Feb. 25, 1888.	Balance on hand,	1,204.82
		$15,435.57

By	Cash from last report,	$599.38
	Interest on City and County Hall bonds,	350.00
	Interest on Buffalo City water bonds,	210.00
	Interest on Buffalo Board of Trade bonds,	150.00
	Interest on Y. M. A. bonds,	105.00
	Interest on bonds and mortgages,	480.00
	Interest on bank account,	63.65
	Dues,	3,667.75
	Fines,	557.34
	Finding Lists sold,	113.49
	Rent of books,	78.48
	Rent of periodicals,	25.09
	Sundry collections,	35.39
	Real Estate Commissioners,	9,000.00
		$15,435.57

LIBRARY FUND.

3 Buffalo City water bonds,	$3,000.00
1 City and County Hall bond,	5,000.00
5 Buffalo Board of Trade bonds,	2,500.00
44 Young Men's Association bonds,	2,200.00
Bond and mortgage,	2,000.00
Bond and mortgage,	6,000.00
Cash,	1,333.74
	$22,033.74

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same correct.

BUFFALO, Feb. 27, 1888.

CHARLES B. WHEELER, *Auditor.*

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with the* BUFFALO LIBRARY BUILDING FUND.

To	Interest,	$520.42
	Rent of fences around property,	870.98
	Rent of Old Court House,	1,054.03
	Estate of T. C. Reilly,	4,000.00
	Estate of Caroline C. Fillmore,	4,200.00
	Collections on account of subscriptions,	106,679.25
	Loan Buffalo Savings Bank,	225,000.00
	Cash advanced by Real Estate Commissioners,	36,304.29
		$378,628.97

By	Old Court House property,	$47,806.17
	Title search,	15.00
	Brady & Maltby, stonecutter,	26.40
	John Needham, temporary sidewalk,	97.83
	Advertising for plans, etc.,	101.67
	Frank Snyder, carting,	61.00
	George Pustkuchen, roofing,	90.12
	W. H. Jackson & Co., fenders,	75.00
	M. H. Birge & Sons,	72.50
	Sheeler & Son, wire frames,	86.50
	C. K. Summerhays, ventilating apparatus,	118.85
	Citizens' Gas Co., street connections,	113.24
	A. H. Andrews & Co.,	364.36
	Machwirth Bros., roofing,	335.88
	C. E. Brinkworth,	184.25
	Sundry expenses,	278.23
	Charles Plumb, electrician,	154.00
	Howard Iron Works, hoist,	160.00
	U. S. Electric Light and Power Co., wiring building and lamps,	720.10
	Watts & Curtin, night patrol service,	404.50
	Marshall, Clinton & Wilson,	1,131.75
	Sundry architects, for plans,	1,796.25
	Adam, Meldrum & Anderson,	209.44
	Hersee & Co., furniture,	852.95
	D. E. Morgan & Son,	1,515.60
	Chretien Bros., paint and glass,	1,298 32
	Schwartz & Co.,	1,562.00
	D. F. Rust, paint and glass,	3,057.00
	Brady & Maltby, sidewalk,	4,200.00
	Metz, Bark & Meyer, cabinet work,	7,148.45
	G. H. Peters & Son, roofing,	8,700.35
	C. L. W. Eidlitz,	13,646.83
	J. Beier & Son, foundation,	14,153.56
	Irlbacker & Davis, heating and plumbing,	20,133.25
	W. D. Collingwood, stone,	20,153.00
	Boston Terra Cotta Co.,	22,800.00
	J. Reiman, carpenter work,	27,565.89
	H. C. Harrower, iron,	80,119.55
	Charles Berrick, mason,	97,319.18
		$378,628.97

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

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BUFFALO, Feb. 27, 1888.

CHARLES B. WHEELER, *Auditor.*

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with the* REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONERS BUFFALO LIBRARY.

To	Cash on hand last report,	$1,737.22
	Rent, Ulbrich & Kingsley,	238.66
	Rent, Neupert & Co.,	387.02
	Rent, Fuller & Townsend,	389.00
	Rent, Schwartz & Co.,	159.97
	Rent, St. James' Hall,	252.64
	Rent of ruins for bill posting,	50.00
	Rent of lecture room,	52.00
	Buffalo Historical Society, proportion for heating, 1886–7,	262.72
	George J. Jones, for old iron,	72 20
	Jacob Ginther, for old iron,	2,149.65
	Interest on bank account,	437.63
	Executors estate of George Howard,	10,000.00
	Insurance on account of rentals,	15,957.55
	Insurance on account of hotel and St. James' Hall buildings,	69.693 47
		$101,839.73

By	Sundry expenses,	$125.40
	E. W. Pritchard, services as engineer,	120.00
	Elizabeth Kreig, janitress,	325.00
	John Kreig, janitor,	660.00
	Smith & Davis, insurance,	467.50
	Coal,	2,216.79
	Extra labor, care of library building,	634.18
	M. Davy, surveying hotel property,	65.00
	Gies & Co., lithographing hotel bonds,	150.00
	Erie County Savings Bank, interest on bonds,	350.00
	Buffalo Savings Bank, interest on mortgage,	6,243.72
	J. L. Williams, Treasurer Executive Committee,	9,000.00
	J. M. Richmond, loan,	10,000.00
	Cash advanced Library Building Fund,	36,304.29
		$66,661.88
	Cash on hand,	35,177.85
		101,839.73

COUPON ACCOUNT.

By	Cash in bank last report,	$113.71
	Interest on account,	4.99
	Cash deposited,	350.00
		$468.70

Contra.

To Coupons paid by Erie County Savings Bank,	$330.00
Balance on hand, Feb. 25, 1888,	138.70
	$468.70

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same correct.

BUFFALO, Feb. 27, 1888.

CHARLES B. WHEELER, *Auditor.*

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with the* BUFFALO LIBRARY HOTEL BUILDING FUND.

Oct. 24, 1887,	To Cash Buffalo Savings Bank,	$50,000.00
Dec. 20, 1887,	Cash Buffalo Savings Bank,	50,000.00
Jan. 18, 1888,	Sale of four hotel bonds,	2,000.00
" "	Accrued interest on same,	30.00
" "	Interest on bank account to Jan. 1st,	234.70
		$102,264.70

By Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory,	$ 39.68
C. L. W. Eidlitz, on account,	4,000.00
H. C. Harrower, on account,	10,738.20
Charles Berrick, on account,	31,961.65
Charles Berrick, on account,	22,694.80
	$69,434.33
Cash on hand,	32,830.37
	$102,264.70

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same correct.

BUFFALO, Feb. 27, 1888.

CHARLES B. WHEELER, *Auditor.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

On the burning of the Richmond Hotel and St. James Hall, last March, it became necessary to decide without delay the disposition that should be made of the property on which the main income of the Library depends. In deciding to rebuild a hotel upon the ground and to make it of strictly fire-proof construction throughout, the Board of Real Estate and the Board of Managers concurred, with substantial unanimity, and their decision was undoubtedly in accord with the opinion and the wishes of a large majority of the members of the Library.

The important character of the building proposed called for prudence in the selection of an architect to design and superintend its construction. Mr. Cyrus L. W. Eidlitz, of New York, had just given us most convincing proof of the satisfactory quality of his work, in the Library building, which everybody admires, and your Board felt justified in placing the new hotel in his hands. The plans of Mr. Eidlitz, which are for a building eight stories high, of brown sandstone, red pressed brick, and terra cotta, with steel floor-beams and entirely fire-proof construction in every particular, were adopted in July, after careful study and some modification of details by the Board. Bids for mason-work and stone, for iron-work and for terra cotta, were immediately invited and were received on the first day of August. Contracts for those portions of the work were subsequently let to the lowest bidders therefor, as will appear in the statement of contracts below. The work of excavating for foundations had previously been in progress, and the laying of the heavy stone courses was vigorously entered upon by the contractor, Mr. Berrick. Before the close of the building season, in December, the entire foundations were laid and most of the basement walls finished to the level of the main floor. The work has rested at that

stage since; but will be resumed on the appearance of the earliest favorable weather of the coming spring.

Contracts for carpenter work and interior hard-wood finish, and for steam-heating, were let in November, and the letting of the contract for plumbing is now pending. The contracts awarded thus far are as follows:

Mason-work and stone—Chas. Berrick,	$313,709
Iron-work—H. C. Harrower,	101,669
Terra cotta—Perth Amboy T. C. Co.,	26,850
Steam heating—Irlbacker & Davis,	24,658
Carpenter work and hard-wood finish—Jacob Reiman,	81,875
	$548,761

The financial statement of the Board of Real Estate appears in the Report of the Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND HAYES.
F. L. DANFORTH.
JEWETT M. RICHMOND.
JOHN L. WILLIAMS.

INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

The report of the Inspectors of Election, signed by Howard H. Baker, William K. Allen and H. M. Gerrans, was read, certifying that the following-named persons were duly elected, at the annual election of the Library, held on Tuesday, February 4, 1888, to fill the offices severally designated, to wit:

President,	GEORGE GORHAM.
Treasurer,	JOHN L. WHILLIAMS.
Curator,	FRANK M. HOLLISTER.
Directors,	RALPH H. PLUMB. SEWARD A. SIMONS. HENRY ALTMAN. EDWARD S. HAWLEY.
Real Estate Commissioner,	EDMUND HAYES.

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The retiring President, Mr. JEWETT M. RICHMOND, then read the following address:

Gentlemen of the Buffalo Library: The past year has been an eventful one in the history of our Library, and its effects will be deeply marked on the future fortunes of the institution. I am not without hope that the final outcome of these effects may be an important broadening of the foundations of the Library, by securing to it the possession of a very valuable and productive property, which will yield an increasing revenue for its support. But the uncertainties of the situation that was created in March last, by the calamitous burning of the Richmond Hotel and St. James Hall, placed a grave responsibility on the officers and managers of the Library, and forced them all to recognize the possibilities of serious mistake which lay on either hand, in whatever action they might take.

Important questions were pressed upon us for immediate settlement. In the judgment of a few, it appeared advisable to sell the valuable site thus suddenly laid bare, and to invest the proceeds in some other form for the support of the Library. To the greater number, that proposal seemed destructive of the future prospects of the institution, and it was generally concluded to be the plain duty of those who held the management of the affairs of the Library in their hands, to retain ownership of the property to which it owed its prosperity in the past, and to restore the same with prompitude to a productive condition by rebuilding. But then followed more serious questions, as to the character of the building to be erected, and as to the amount of indebtedness which might prudently be incurred in the enterprise. Public opinion, within the membership of the Association and outside of it, declared loudly for a strictly fire-proof new hotel building; and, after careful deliberation and consultation with the most experienced men of property and business in the city, it was decided, by concurrent resolutions in the Board of Managers

and the Board of Real Estate, and almost with unanimity in each, that such a building should be undertaken, notwithstanding the great expenditure involved. This was made practicable by the public-spirited and liberal action of the Buffalo Savings Bank, which promised a loan of $600,000 at 3½ per cent. interest. For the raising of the further sum necessary it was decided to issue 5 per cent. second-mortgage bonds of the Library, a large proportion of which have now been subscribed for.

I hope, as I have said, and I have little doubt, that the final result of this great enterprise will be fortunate for the Library and will make its future more secure than an undertaking of less magnitude would have done. But it is useless to shut our eyes to the fact that great risks are being taken in the financial scheme which involves so enormous a debt, and that the current resources of the Library are more than likely to be burdened, for years to come, to an extent which may cripple its usefulness very much. There need be no fear, however, I am sure, if its friends and the public at large will understand the precise facts of its situation; if they will not be misled by the magnitude in appearance of its property, and will not suppose it to be rich and independent of help; if they will, in fact, both understand and remember its situation and its needs, and will contribute as they can to its better endowment for the great work it is doing in Buffalo.

Our resources for building the new hotel are:

Amount paid on contracts,		$ 69,434.33
Cash on hand,		68,008.22
Balance from Buffalo Savings Bank		275,000.00
Second mortgage bonds,	$250,000.00	
Less delivered and paid for,	2,000.00	248,000.00
Uncollected subscriptions (good),		7,000 00
Bequest of F. W. Tracy,		10,000.00
		677,442.55
You will notice by commissioners' report amount of contracts awarded thus far are,	$548,761.00	
Work not contracted for, estimated,	125,000.00	
Cost of the new hotel completed,		673,761.00
Balance on hand,		3,681.55

Those of you who have had much experience in building will discover this is rather a small amount of resource, especially when so large an amount of the work has to be estimated. We have in the Library fund something over $20,000 that will have to be borrowed from, to make up deficiencies, if there should be any. Having, perhaps, heard more objections to the building of our hotel than most of you, with many suggestions of what we ought to do with the property, it is very gratifying to me that the indications now are that we shall be able to rent the hotel and stores at very satisfactory prices.

I have the pleasure of introducing to you as my successor a life-long friend of the Library, Mr. George Gorham.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

Mr. GEORGE GORHAM, on being introduced, delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library: In assuming the position of President, to which you have elected me, I feel its great responsibilities and appreciate the honor you have done me. It is all the more honor that I follow two gentlemen who have so freely and generously given their time and their energies to the welfare of your noble institution, and I fear that my light will shine very dimly when contrasted with the radiance of their successful administrations.

To Mr. Richmond and Mr. Smith the Library owes a very large debt of gratitude. But for their laudable exertions we should not now be so splendidly housed in this truly magnificent building—a building which is excelled for its purposes by none in our country, and the equal of which it would be difficult to find; a building, too, which is a fitting monument to the generosity of our citizens and to the untiring efforts of my two predecessors.

We have met with a most severe loss during the past year, and have seen our means of support swept away with a melancholy loss of life, which has rendered our disaster so much harder to bear. But the Buffalo Library cannot fail, and the public cannot and will not see it lack for money to carry on its beneficent work. The trustees of the Buffalo Savings Bank have come forward nobly to our rescue and have provided a large sum of money with which to rebuild our property, and yet have amply protected the bank and its depositors by taking a first mortgage on all our real estate.

To complete our new hotel and give us a source of income, more money, however, will be needed, and for this we must appeal to the people; not, however, as supplicants or beggars, but to advance to us on our bonds, secured by mortgage, the sum of $250,000, at a fair rate of interest. These bonds are good security and ought to be readily and easily disposed of, not only to our capitalists, but to persons of limited means who are seeking investment for small amounts. The Buffalo Library is a public institution in which every citizen, male and female, rich and poor, is deeply interested, and everybody may rest assured that its bonds will never default. I wish to impress this upon every member of the Association; you are the owners of all this magnificent property which, when the hotel is completed, will have a value of about $1,300,000, and I hope that every member who can will subscribe to the bonds to the extent of his ability, and will give his influence and his aid in getting others to come forward and take these safe, interest-bearing securities. In doing this you will be aiding yourselves and the Library. Your Board of Real Estate and Board of Managers will certainly do their duty and will labor in your interest, but they need your countenance, your encouragement and your material aid, and they are entitled to have your active assistance in accomplishing the great results which are necessary for the maintenance of your institution.

And I earnestly appeal to all the members, whose circumstances will permit, to remember the Buffalo Library in their

wills. We have many wealthy men in our membership who have done nobly for us already, and to these I give full credit and many thanks, but I indulge the hope that not only those who have already contributed to the funds of the Library, but that those who have not, will see to it that they follow the example of George Howard, and T. C. Reilly, and Mrs. Fillmore, and F. W. Tracy, and LeGrand Marvin, and be generous to this, one of the grandest institutions of Buffalo, and the one of all others which feeds and nourishes the mind, and keeps it healthy, and gives it power to grow to the benefit of our city, our state and our country. No one who makes a bequest to this institution can make a mistake. See how it has grown from the smallest of beginnings; see the large sums of money which have been expended in expanding its opportunities and its usefulness, and then see how carefully every dollar has been used and how scrupulously accounted for. The long list of ex-officers who have accomplished these splendid results contains the names of many men, good and true and honest, and it would seem as if a place upon the governing board of this institution must have had a powerful influence for good, as I fail now to recall one single man who has swerved from the straight path of honesty and probity, and I indulge the hope and the expectation that it may be in the future as in the past.

I have no particular policy to offer you, and no great suggestions to make. The great work in hand at present is material, and our energies must be bent towards carrying forward to a speedy completion the new hotel building. Till that is done we are without income except such as is derived from the annual dues and the interest on the Library Fund, which, combined, fall far short of being enough to meet our expenses, which are greatly enhanced by the occupation of the new Library.

The present Boards are, I believe, what we may call working Boards, and I promise you that every man means to do good and earnest work this coming year.

The Library Fund now amounts to $22,000. I suggest for the consideration of the managers whether, if our means permit, it would not be advisable to add to this fund all bequests which are not, by their terms, made especially applicable to some other object. The primary object of our institution is to provide books and reading matter for the public, and to do this we must have a fund especially devoted to that object—a fund not to be drawn upon, under any circumstances, for other purposes, and the income of which will always be available for this fundamental object. We shall, at best, have a large debt upon which to pay interest, and finally to pay the principal. The interest must be met, and met promptly, and I believe that a sum, however small, should be annually appropriated towards paying the principal. If possible, these payments should be made without encroaching upon or reducing the ability of the institution to buy books and to keep up with the times, and if the Library Fund can be gradually increased by the bequests which I hope may be made, this would put us in position to always meet the demands of the reading public.

The report of the Superintendent is laid before you, and I ask for it your careful consideration. You will observe that our circulation during the last year has exceeded 75,000 volumes, and we are, therefore, entitled to ask the common council for an appropriation of $5,000. I appreciate the heavy drafts made upon our city treasury, and the propriety and necessity for economy, but it should be the policy of our city to encourage and foster education and give material aid for that end. Your Library is public—it is free. Every person is at liberty to use all the books, papers and periodicals within its walls, and every comfort is provided for readers and students. We invite inspection, and we invite the people to use our accumulated treasures of knowledge. The legislature has, by its act, put the seal of its approval upon public aid for large public libraries, and while the statute does not *direct* the common council to contribute to our maintenance, it does give authority to do so, and that authority, well exercised, will

certainly meet the approval of our taxpayers. The question of applying for this appropriation will be laid before the Board of Managers for their consideration.

I regret that we have not a larger membership, and especially that we have not increased in numbers as it had been supposed we might upon the occupation of the new building. The dues are so small and the privileges so great that it would seem as if we ought to have 5,000 members—not so much for the money such a membership would bring as for the ultimate good and pleasure which all would derive therefrom.

Especially, I think, all persons interested in education should be actively associated with us. And I confess my surprise that so few of the teachers in our public schools should be members of this institution. According to the last year's list of five hundred and eighty-eight teachers in our public schools, there were but nine males and eighty females who held membership with us. In view of the very small yearly dues which a member has to pay, the reasonable salary which the teachers receive, and the advantages in an educational way accruing to members, it would seem that a very much larger proportion of our teachers should be identified with this institution, and I indulge the hope that another year may show a marked improvement in this regard.

It gives me great pleasure to welcome here to-night so many of the ex-Presidents of the Library. Their presence gives good evidence of the lively interest they still feel in the institution which they did so much to foster and maintain, and which some of the older men, then young, nursed and tended in its infancy, followed through its sickly days of early childhood and speeded on to its successful manhood.

Your hearts, gentlemen, are still young, your ambitions for your progeny are still fresh, and your efforts are fully appreciated by your successor. It is our hope that you may live many years to witness the prosperity of the Buffalo Library, and that your purse-strings may be freely unloosed when our necessities require it.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The announcement of Standing Committees for the ensuing year was read by the Secretary as follows:

Library—Viele, Bissell, Hollister, Rounds, Sprague.
Finance—Rounds, Plumb, Altman, McMillan, J. L. Williams.
Lectures—Pooley, F. F. Williams, Altman.
Rooms and Fixtures—Plumb, Norton, Hawley, Movius.
Law—McMillan, Movius, Simons, Hawley.
Newspapers and Periodicals—F. F. Williams, Pooley, Rounds.
Printing—Norton, Altman, Townsend.
By-Laws—Simons, Pooley, Altman.
Membership—Movius, McMillan, Sprague.
Donations—Sprague, F. F. Williams, Simons.
Archives—Hawley, Norton, Plumb.
Auditor—Plumb.

Mr. VIELE moved that one thousand copies of the report of proceedings of the annual meeting be printed. Adopted.

Mr. SIMONS moved that the President appoint a committee of three to draft a suitable resolution, expressive of the feeling with which the members of the Library regard the invaluable and untiring services to the Library which have been rendered by Mr. Jewett M. Richmond, during the three important years of his Presidency, and that such resolution be entered on the minutes of this meeting.

Adopted; and the President appointed as such committee, Messrs. Seward A. Simons, J. N. Larned and Robert R. Hefford.

The following is the resolution reported by the committee:

Resolved, That Mr. Jewett M. Richmond, as President of the Buffalo Library during three years past (a term now ended by his own desire, only,) and as a member of its Board of Managers and of its Building Committee during one year previously, has rendered services to it of peculiar and exceptional value, at a juncture of its affairs which has been the most important in its history. The period of his service has covered the entire undertaking and construction of the new library building; and, when that work was finished, there was thrown upon him the responsible decision of all the serious and difficult questions that arose out of the disastrous burning of the principal property of the Library. During these four years past, he has given his thought and his time, without ceasing, to the affairs of the institution, and with a carefulness, an ability and a conscientious fidelity that could not well be surpassed.

Resolved, That the thanks we tender to Mr. Richmond for these services are not a meaningless and perfunctory expression, but spring from feelings that are warm and sincere, and that are entertained by all the members of the Buffalo Library.

The meeting adjourned.

E. CORNING TOWNSEND,
Recording Secretary.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Adler, Prof. Felix,	..	3
Albany Young Men's Association,	..	1
Alward, Mrs. E. B.,	1	..
Alward, Henry,	..	5
American Institute of Homeopathy,	1	..
American Philological Association,	..	1
American Protective Tariff League,	1	6
Amherst College,	..	2
Astor Library,	..	3
Baker, Howard H,	1	..
Baltimore and Ohio Employes Relief Association,	..	7
Bangor Public Library,	1	..
Benedict, W. J. (Church Voice),	1	..
Bennett, Hon D. S.,	12	..
Bigelow, A. G.,	..	1
Birmingham Free Libraries,	2	..
Boardman, John, M. D.,	..	1
Boston City Messenger,	1	..
Boston Public Library,	1	2
Bowdoin College,	..	1
Briggs, Prof. Horace,	6	..
Brookline (Massachusetts) Public Library,	..	1
Brooklyn Library,	..	2
Brown, Allen M.,	1	..
Brown, John Croumbie,	15	..
Brown University,	..	1
Brymner, Douglas, Archivist of Canada,	1	..
Buffalo Board of Health,	2	..
Buffalo Charity Organization Society,	..	2
Buffalo City Clerk,	3	..
Buffalo City Engineer,	..	1
Buffalo City Comptroller,	1	..
Buffalo College of Pharmacy,	..	1
Buffalo Courier Company,	..	1
Buffalo Evening News,	1	..
Buffalo Express,	..	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Buffalo Fire Department,	..	1
Buffalo Guard of Honor,	4	..
Buffalo Historical Society,	..	1
Buffalo Merchants' Exchange,	..	1
Buffalo Park Commissioners,	..	3
Buffalo Police Board,	..	1
Buffalo Saturday Class,	1	..
Buffalo State Asylum for Insane,	..	1
Buffalo Superintendent of Education,	2	1
Buffalo Water Commissioners,	..	2
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association,	1	2
Bull, Miss Helen,	..	1
California, University of,	..	1
Canada, Department of Agriculture,	1	..
Chamberlain, Hon. M., Boston,	1	..
Charlton, John, M. P., Ottawa,	13	5
Chelsea (Massachusetts) Public Library,	..	1
Chicago, Department of Health,	..	4
Chicago, Department of Public Works,	1	..
Chicago, House of Correction (C. E. Felton),	..	2
Cincinnati Public Library,	1	1
Clark, Chas. A.,	..	2
Clark, Martin,	..	1
Clinton, Hon. George,	1	..
Clinton, Spencer,	1	1
Cobden Club,	..	2
Columbia College,	..	4
Columbia College School of Library Economy,	..	2
Connecticut Bureau of Labor Statistics,	2	..
Cooper Union, New York,	..	1
Cornell University,	2	..
Cornell University Library,	..	1
Cutter, Rev. G. W.,	6	..
Darnell, Rev. Henry F.,	3	..
Denver (Colorado) Mercantile Library,	1	..
Depew, Ganson,	..	1
Detroit Public Library,	..	1
Dexter, F. B., Worcester, Mass,	..	1
Dolmage, H. W.,	..	3
Ely, Prof. Richard T., Baltimore,	2	..
Enoch Pratt Free Library,	1	3
Erie County Penitentiary,	..	1
Evanston (Illinois) Free Public Library,	..	3
Farquhar, Hon. John M.,	22	2
Fell, George E., M. D.,	..	1
Field, Dr. B. Rush, Easton, Pa,	..	1
Francis, W. C.,	..	2

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Franey, John,	1	1
Friends' Free Library, Germantown,	..	1
Gager, John C.,	1	..
Gallagher, Hon. E.,	1	1
Gluck, James Fraser,	2	16
Grand Lodge of the State of New York,	1	..
Granger, Wm. D., M. D.,	..	1
Green, Rev. Rufus S.,	1	8
Green, S. S.,	..	1
Halleberg, C. G., Cincinnati,	1	..
Hart, Prof. A. B., Harvard University,	..	2
Hartford Library Association,	..	1
Harvard University,	1	1
Harvard University Library,	1	4
Hirshfield, E.,	1	..
Hollister, F. M.,	1	..
Hopkins, Dr. H. R.,	..	1
Howe, Archibald M., Boston,	..	6
Howland, Henry R.,	44	11
Hoyt Public Library, East Saginaw,	..	3
Illinois Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	1
Illinois State Board of Health,	3	2
Indianapolis Public Library,	..	1
Indianapolis School Commissioners,	..	1
International Committee Young Men's Christian Association,	1	..
Ives, William,	5	..
James, Edmund J., Philadelphia,	..	1
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Boyet, Miss Emilie
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Bryant, Miss Kate
Bugbee, Miss Annie

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Bull, Mrs. L. A.
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Gemmer, Mrs. Tillie
Gerber, Mrs. Adele
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Gibson, Miss Isabella
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Gilpin, Miss Sadie
Gollun, Miss Lilian
Gorham, Margaret R.
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Green, Miss Evelina
Green, Mrs. John
Green, Mrs. Powers L.
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Greenwood, Miss S. G.
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Hamilton, Mrs. S. M.
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Held, Mrs. Frederick
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Hofeller, Miss Della

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Hussey, Mrs. E. P.
Husted, Mrs. F. H.
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Lowry, Miss Stella
Lusk, Miss Sophia
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McMillan, Miss Charlotte
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Marsh, Miss Ida M.
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Martyn, Mrs. L. S.
Marvin, Mrs. F. S.
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Mayhew, Mrs. Ida Lee
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Merrill, Mrs. S. T.
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Moore, Miss Marion
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Morris, Miss S. H.
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Noell, Mrs. F.
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Norton, Miss Isabel
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Patterson, Miss Celia E.
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Perkins, Miss S. E.
Pfeiffer, Miss Anna
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Pitman, Miss Minnie
Poole, Mrs. W. R.
Prentiss, Miss M. E.
Prescott, Miss Jane
Provoost, Miss Jennie
Pugsley, Mrs. Elizabeth
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Ralph, Mrs. W. C.
Randall, Mrs. Milton
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Reid, Miss Nellie C.
Remington, Mrs. Helen E.

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Rice, Florence E.
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Robson, Miss Mary
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Rosenberg, Miss T.
Rosenau, Miss Miriam
Ross, Miss Marie S.
Rudolf, Miss Ida J.
Ruppenberg, Mrs. C. F.
Salisbury, Miss P. V.
Saulter, Mrs. R.
Scatcherd, Mrs. J. N.
Schlegel, Miss T. Marion
Schuehle, Miss Bertha
Schugens, M. Elizabeth
Sears, Miss Emma
Selleck, Mrs. Franklin
Servis, Miss May
Seymour, Miss Kate V.
Shaver, Miss Alene
Shehan, Mrs. R. F.
Sherman, Miss Albertine
Sherman, Miss Julia T.
Shuler, Mrs. F. J.
Sieboth, Marie C. F.
Sigison, Mrs. G. W.
Sikes, Mrs. Albert D.
Sikes, Miss Sarah C.
Skillette, Mrs. Edward
Smith, Clara
Smith, Miss Lillie
Smith, Mrs. M. V.
Smith, Miss Mildred R.
Smith, Mrs. Minnie
Smith, Miss Nellie E.
Spencer, Miss Marion E.
Spire, Miss Cora J.
Stambach, Miss Belle
Stannard, Mrs. G. S.
Stephenson, Mrs. P.
Sternberg, Miss L. D.
Stevens, Mrs. W. W.
Stever, Miss Mary J.
Streater, Katharine J.
Strickles, Mrs. A. D.
Stutzman, Miss Lizzie
Stygall, Miss Lida
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Swan, Miss Nellie
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Taylor, Miss Ada E.
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Taylor, Miss Blanche D.
Taylor, Miss Charlotte
Thomson, Florence N.
Townsend, Mrs. Charles
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Treat, Miss Kate S.
Turnbull, Mrs. W. T.
Turton, Miss H. Adele
Underhill, Miss Bertha P.
Van Vleck, Miss Mattie
Vaughn, Miss Adelene
Wade, Miss Blanche
Wade, Mary A.
Wall, Mrs. Frederick B.
Warner, Miss Emma
Warner, Mrs. Ludwig A.
Warren, Miss Minnie B.
Watts, Miss Jennie
Weaver, Mattie H.
Weeks, Miss Ida J.
Weill, Mrs. Alphonse
Weill, Mrs. H.
Weill, Mrs. L. E.
Weill, Mrs. Louis
Weiss, Miss Louise
Welch, Miss Anna
Welch, Miss Jean Mead
Weller, Miss Emma C.
Welsh, Lizzie
Wendell, Miss Jeannette
Wendt, Miss Libbie
Wheeler, Miss Mary C.
Whelpton, Miss Alice M.
Whitcher, Miss Edith
White, Miss I.
White, Jennie S.
White, Mrs. M. B.
White, Mrs. M. E.
Whiting, Mrs. Mary
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Willett, Mrs. C. H.
Williams, Amelia L.
Williams, Mrs. Mary H.
Williams, Miss Mary M.
Williams, Mrs. Richard
Willyoung, Mrs. A. S.
Wilson, Alice
Wilson, Edith B.
Winchester, Miss Grace
Wing, Mrs. Julia
Winn, Mrs. A. C.
Woehnert, Miss Alice,
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Woodring, Susan,
Woodworth, Mrs. J. N.
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Adam, R. B.....1884
Adam, R. B., Jr.....1884
Adams, Miss H. A..... 1884
Adams, James.....1881
Adams, John C..... 1884
Adams, S. C.....1872
Albright, Mrs. J. J..... ..1884
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Albright, L.....1884
Albright, R. K.....1884
Allen, Daniel W.....1884
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Allen, Henry F.....1885

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Allen, Lawrence O.....1884
Allen, Levi.....1842
Allen, W. S.....1884
Allen, Wm. K.....1885
Almy, W. H.....1887
Altman, Henry.....1884
Altman, Isaac.....1884
Altman, Julius.....1884
Alward, Mrs. Emily B.....1884
Ames, Mrs. Samuel.....1885
Anderson, Charles F.....1884
Andrews, J. B., M. D.....1884
Armstrong, Charles B.....1886
Armstrong, Charles N.....1886
Ash, James.....1884
Atwater, E. M.....1881
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Austin, Charles W.....1885
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Avery, Miss L. A.....1884
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Avery, Truman G.....1875
Bacon, E. R.....1873
Bailey, Charles H.....1886
Bailey, George J.....1884
Baker, George Hayward.....1874
Baker, Howard A.....1884
Baker, Howard H.....1873
Baker, Lyman M.....1886
Baldy, Mrs. C. W.....1873
Ball, Kneeland.....1885
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Barnum, T. D.....1884
Barr, G. D.....1884
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Barton, Oliver F.....1857
Barton, Thomas D.....1857
Bass, Mrs. Frances M.....1886
Bass, Lyman M.....1884
Bass, Lyman K.....1871
Beales, E. P.....1881
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Beard, Daniel C.....1881
Beard, Philo D.....1877
Becker, Alfred Le Roy.....1885
Becker, Philip.....1871
Beecher, James C.....1884
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Bell, David.....1870
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Birge, M. H.....1886
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Clapp, Henry H....1881
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FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

FIFTY-THIRD ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 25, 1889.

The President, Mr. GEORGE GORHAM, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

Upon motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows :

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

The Library Committee congratulate the Association on the statistics of the report of the Superintendent on all matters connected with the work of the Library. While many other libraries throughout the country are seriously alarmed at the decrease of circulation and of interest shown in their work, the Buffalo Library shows a larger circulation and greater demand than ever before. That this has been accomplished, notwithstanding the smallest expenditure for books made since 1877, speaks well for the interest of the community in the institution, and the intelligence of the management in the best use of its scanty means.

The increased use of the facilities furnished by "The Study" shows the necessity for this branch of the work. The losses reported from this department vindicate the policy of excluding the public from the general books, and afford a complete answer to those who have criticised the Association in this respect.

The Committee in conclusion desire to express their thanks to the Superintendent and the staff of the Library for their zealous and patient work during the year, notwithstanding diminished numbers and scanty resources.

SHELDON T. VIELE.,

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

The year just closed has been happily distinguished in our Library history by one mark of important progress, though not so happily characterized in other respects. We have added less than usual to our collection of books, but the use of the books has been notably increased. The coincidence of these two facts adds greatly to the significance of the latter one. If the circulation of the Library had been stimulated by a liberal supply of the current literature of the day—the freshest and the most in demand—we should reasonably enough be well satisfied with the

increase; but occurring, as it has, with no such stimulation, the gain is more gratifying by far. Our circumstances have compelled us to restrict the supply of fresh literature to our readers more narrowly than in any previous twelve months for the past ten years. The total addition of volumes has been 2,807, of which 401 replaced older copies of books, worn out and lost. Of the remaining 2,406, 475 volumes were gifts, and but 1,962 volumes were actually new books bought, including many duplicate copies of books in popular demand.

The expenditure for books has been $2,428.93, the lowest sum expended in any year since 1877, and the least in any year except three since 1869. This economy was forced upon us by the circumstances in which the Library is placed and which is crippling it, unfortunately, at a time when the public is evidently disposed to use its resources more largely than ever before. To encourage this disposition and to meet the demands which spring out of it, we seem to be called upon to go quite as far as our ability can be stretched. I venture, therefore, to appeal for the broadest view of this duty that can be taken, when the new property of the Library is finished, when the income from it becomes available, when the debt upon it is adjusted, and when the questions of financial policy and prudence then to arise are dealt with.

The circulation of the year has risen to 100,136 volumes, which is more than 10,000 volumes in excess of the previous twelve months. The gain shows itself in all classes of literature, but more largely in fiction than elsewhere; so that the per centage of novels drawn from the library is slightly increased—from sixty-one per cent. in 1887–8 to sixty-two per cent. in 1888–9. The circulation is classified and exhibited by months in the following table:

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1889.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy,	72	91	73	51	53	37	27	55	50	71	80	94	754	.0075
Religion,	187	163	118	120	93	121	88	81	132	136	105	138	1,482	.0147
Social Science,	144	134	113	91	80	94	109	91	132	176	140	140	1,444	.0144
Language,	17	10	18	22	11	20	13	9	14	12	8	12	166	.0016
Natural Science,	136	145	127	130	111	77	83	90	131	121	92	144	1,387	.0138
Useful Arts,	94	164	91	91	52	70	84	92	121	96	79	101	1,135	.0112
Fine Arts,	171	160	115	132	98	96	116	90	123	121	124	164	1,510	.0153
Gen'l Literature,	771	859	698	604	490	363	375	444	653	607	528	595	6,987	.0698
Juvenile Fiction,	870	1,173	972	934	780	696	647	652	917	896	890	1,024	10,451	.1044
Fiction,	4,939	6,027	5,198	5,011	5,072	4,880	5,262	5,116	5,728	5,314	4,739	5,407	62,693	.6260
Travel,	334	468	317	320	276	236	208	242	336	339	307	376	3,759	.0375
Biography,	356	416	313	272	225	176	235	206	307	291	277	367	3,501	.0352
History,	441	505	415	333	270	244	256	285	458	544	471	645	4,867	.0486
Totals,	8,532	10,315	8,568	8,111	7,611	7,110	7,503	7,453	9,162	8,724	7,840	9,207	100,136	1.0000

The use of books in the reading-rooms of the Library increases steadily. If full statistics were possible, I think it would show itself quite equal in extent to the circulation of books for home use. But probably four-fifths or more of the demand on the Library in this mode is satisfied by the reference books, which we keep on open shelves in "The Study," and to which readers are permitted to help themselves. Of other books there have been 17,524 volumes delivered to readers for temporary use during the year.

Our losses from the freely exposed books in "The Study" have been considerably greater, I regret to say, than were reported for the previous year. They number no less than twenty-six volumes, seven of them being dictionaries of quotations and proverbs, three dictionaries of language, six scientific and mechanical hand-books, and the remainder in other departments. We have also had ten other books stolen from tables in "The

Study"—most of them within a single month, and probably all by the same thief. Six of these latter were volumes belonging to important sets of magazines, and the loss is more serious than in the other cases.

From the Reading-Room for Periodicals we have lost a few magazines, but not many, although that room, like "The Study," is free to everybody and is constantly filled.

The Sunday use of the Library continues to be large. In fact, all the seats in both reading-rooms are generally filled every Sunday afternoon, and by quiet, well-behaved readers. There can be no question as to the excellent effect of the Sunday opening.

The usual statistics of the Library are appended.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED,

Superintendent.

APPENDIX.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography,	47	549	933
General Cyclopedias,	4	257	...
General Periodicals,	26	1,230	11
Polygraphy, etc.,	5	229	1
Philosophy,	56	1,152	131
Religion,	176	4,632	225
Law, Politics and Political Economy,	212	4,847	686
Education,	39	604	426
Commerce,	37	700	314
Statistics,	21	427	53
Other Social Subjects,	51	688	146
Philology,	11	464	21
Natural Science,	126	3,315	180
Useful Arts,	88	3,174	379
Fine Arts,	37	2,053	70
Literary Periodicals,	88	3,194	...
English Poetry, Cricticism, etc.,	125	4,080	60
English Prose Fiction,	576	8,921	3
German Poetry, etc.,	33	481	...
German Prose Fiction,	73	632	...

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Italian Literature,	3	149	2
French Poetry, etc.,	20	671	...
French Prose Fiction,	57	890	1
Spanish Literature,	4	82	...
Greek and Latin Literature,	8	383	1
Other Literature,	21	371	3
Geography and Travel,	129	4,371	99
Biography,	106	4,562	166
History: American,	57	2,287	312
History: Other Countries,	128	4,009	74
Local History and Literature,	93	892	1,581
		60,296	5,878
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		673	
Total,		60,969	

Added during the year:

	Volumes.
By purchase,	2,093
By gift,	475
By binding,	197
By exchange,	42
	2,807

Withdrawn from books in use:

	Volumes.
Worn out and condemned,	391
Lost and paid for,	24
	415

Withdrawn from duplicates not in use:

	Volumes.
Exchanged,	28

Cost of books purchased,	$2,428.93
Paid for binding,	936.28

LAW COMMITTEE.

When the will of LeGrand Marvin was presented for probate, on the 4th day of December, 1887, it was found that by its provisions the Buffalo Library was made the residuary legatee.

The estate of Mr. Marvin was involved in litigation which had continued for many years, and his entire property was in the hands of a receiver pending the decision of the courts. At the time of his death appeals were pending which involved the question of title to his entire estate.

The probate of the will was contested by his opponents in the other litigations, and, after an extended hearing in the Surrogate's Court, it was admitted to probate.

The appeal in the action which involved the title to Mr. Marvin's estate was subsequently argued in the Court of Appeals, and the judgments of the courts below affirmed, which vested the title of an undivided half of this estate in LeGrand Marvin. The benefits which will thus inure to his estate will approximate $125,000, and upwards.

The Library is made a legatee to the extent of $5,000, to be used in the purchase of life memberships; and in addition thereto legacies to the amount of $51,000 are bestowed upon various kinspeople and friends. In addition to this, various claims are made against the estate, aggregating, upon the best information procurable, from $40,000 to $45,000. The residue of the estate goes to the Library.

The time within which an appeal can be taken from the decision of the Surrogate admitting the will to probate, has not yet expired.

The accounting case pending before a referee, in which is involved the amount of the rents and profits of the estate in question during the time it was held by the contestants, extending over a period of thirty years, is in progress.

It is confidently hoped that the entire litigation will be adjusted during the present year, and that the Library will realize a substantial sum from its interest in this estate.

DANIEL H. McMILLAN,
SEWARD A. SIMONS,
EDWARD H. MOVIUS,
EDWARD S. HAWLEY.

COMMITTEE ON LECTURES.

The Lecture Committee of the Buffalo Library beg leave to report:

That in the fall of 1888, the subject of a series of Class Lectures was discussed, resulting in the arrangement for a course of twelve lectures on American History, by Mr. Edward C. Lunt, which were given as follows:

Nov. 16. 1. Colonial Independence, Confederation and Constitution, 1776–1789.
Nov. 23. 2. The Federal Administration, 1789–1801.
Nov. 30. 3. Jefferson and Republican Policy, 1801–1809.
Dec. 7. 4. Madison and the War of 1812, 1809–1817.
Dec. 14. 5. Monroe and his Doctrine, 1817–1825.
Dec. 21. 6. Slavery and the Missouri Compromise, 1819–1829.
Dec. 28. 7. "The Reign of Andrew Jackson," 1829–1837.
Jan. 4. 8. Van Buren, Tyler and the Whigs, 1837–1845.
Jan. 11. 9. Mexico and the Compromise of 1850, 1845–1850.
Jan. 18. 10. Fugitive Slaves and "Bleeding Kansas," 1850–1855.
Jan. 25. 11. "The Irrepressible Conflict," 1855–1860.
Feb. 1. 12. Secession and Civil War, 1860–1861.

Judging from the interest manifested by the audience, both in the lectures and the discussions which followed, it would seem that the project was a popular one and worthy of the further effort of the Library. Its value as an educational factor in the community can hardly be over-estimated; arousing and stimulating a desire for investigation, and that, too, within the walls of the Library, whose shelves hold the treasures which open up the subjects of investigation to the mind of the diligent student.

This is peculiarly the work of an institution like ours, and, in the judgment of your Committee, it should be continued, its scope widened, and facilities afforded to increase its usefulness.

As to the financial part, the course was undertaken on the theory of making it pay merely its own expenses, and being no charge on the Library. The results were as follows:

RECEIPTS.

Balance of cash on hand from last year,	$ 8.08
Received from sale of season tickets,	197.35
Received from receipts at door,	76.55
	$281.98

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Lecturer,	$300.00	
Paid door attendance and printing,	20.00	$320.00
Deficit (provided for by donations from the Board),		$ 38.02

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. POOLEY,
FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
HENRY ALTMAN.

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP.

Your Committee on Membership respectfully report as follows:

The total membership of the Library is 3,439, of which 2,178 are Annual Members, 1,221 are Life Members, and 40 are Honorary Members. There have been added during the past year, 901 Annual Members, and 8 Life Members. The losses in membership during the same period are as follows:

Annual Members, by resignation,	165
by death (known),	14
by non-payment of dues,	272
	451
Life Members, by death (so far as known),	17
Making a total loss of	468

This shows a gratifying increase in the membership of the Library, which it is hoped will be sustained and possibly surpassed during the coming year. During the summer and fall last past, two thousand copies of circulars setting forth the advantages of the Library, as well as its needs, and suggesting an increase in membership, were mailed to various persons residing in this city. How far this circular had to do with the increased membership, it is, of course, impossible to accurately estimate.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. MOVIUS,
HENRY W. SPRAGUE,
DANIEL H. McMILLAN.

COMMITTEE ON NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

Your Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals would respectfully report that they have expended during the past year the sum of $637.17, for which we have had on file:

Daily Newspapers,	38
Weeklies,	48
Fortnightlies,	1
Monthlies,	66
Bi-monthlies,	1
Quarterlies,	24
Half Yearlies,	1
Occasionals,	12
Total,	191

making a total of 191, of which 121 have been bound for preservation.

The files of the remaining seventy papers which are not bound are preserved a year for reference and then disposed of.

Fifty of these newspapers and periodicals were donated to the Library.

It will be of interest to you to know that since the new building has been occupied, the use of the newspapers and periodicals has very largely increased, so much so indeed that oftentimes there is not a vacant chair in the reading room.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
CHARLES A. POOLEY,
HENRY ALTMAN.

COMMITTEE ON DONATIONS.

Your Committee on Donations respectfully report as follows:

The Library has acquired by gift during the year, 492 volumes of books, and 626 pamphlets. These numbers include, however, more or less of duplicated copies of certain

public documents and pamphlets, and exceed the additions actually made to the catalogue contents of the Library.

The more important gifts of the year have been the following:

From Rev. William M. Jones, a most valuable contribution to the department of American Church History, numbering fifty-seven volumes, chiefly year-books of the Episcopal and other churches, and sixty-two pamphlets. From John Charlton, Esq., M. P., Canadian official reports, and other publications in twenty-nine volumes, and eight pamphlets. From Hon. John M. Farquhar, United States Government publications in fifty-seven volumes, and six pamphlets. From Hon. William M. Evarts, thirteen volumes of the Congressional Record. From Hon. D. H. McMillan, twenty volumes of Senate and Assembly Documents. From the United States Signal Office, twenty-four volumes and forty-eight pamphlets, together with a large number of weather maps. From the Wisconsin State Historical Society, nine volumes of its publications, and nine pamphlets. From Dr. George B. Snow a complete file of the "Dental Advertiser," in five volumes, and from Dr. S. A. Freeman a complete set of the Proceedings of the Dental Society of the State of New York, in eleven volumes. From Mrs. Walter Cary, twenty volumes; from Mr. George Gorham, thirty-two volumes; from Mr. T. Guilford Smith, ten volumes and sixteen pamphlets; and from Mr. F. M. Hollister, twenty-four pamphlets of miscellaneous literature. From the Federation Critannique Continentale et Generale, Geneva, Switzerland, five volumes and thirty-seven pamphlets. From Mr. Chas. H. Williams, two fine Russian maps of St. Petersburg and Moscow. From Mr. W. V. Morten, London, Eng., fac-similes of a collection of autographs of Painters, Sculptors, and other artists. From C. W. Gibbons, autographs of the eminent ethnologist Robert G. Latham, and the naturalist Geo. R. Waterhouse. From Mr. Joseph Mischka, many local musical programmes; from Mr. Chas. B. Loomis, six valuable old maps; from Mr. A. Moot, two manuscripts of the late LeGrand Marvin; from Mr. J. T.

McLaughlin, the programmes of the Academy of Music during 1887.

The above statement shows that the very gratifying increase, not only in the number of donations, but also in the number of donors, which was remarked in our last year's report, is still kept up; and your Committee desire to publicly express their thanks for the thoughtfulness and generosity of all who have thus contributed to render the Library more valuable and useful.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY W. SPRAGUE, *Chairman.*

PRINTING COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Printing respectfully reports that the expenditure for printing during the past year has amounted to the sum of three hundred and forty-three and thirty-three hundreths ($343.33–100) dollars, which includes the cost of supplements to the Finding List added from time to time during said period of time.

Respectfully submitted,

PORTER NORTON, *Chairman.*

TREASURER'S REPORT.

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

To Salaries,	$5,812.62
Sundry Library Expenses,	129.07
Stationery,	150.31
Supplement to Finding List,	70.00
Binding,	936.28
Books,	2,428.93
Printing,	273.33
Newspapers and Periodicals,	637.17
Telephone,	50.00
Water,	58.00
Room Expenses,	219.67
Gas,	258.66
Electric Light,	1,462.67

Expenses, Marvin Case,	879.75
Insurance,	15.00
Expenses, Law Committee,	33.80
	$13,415.26
February 25, 1889. Balance on hand,	1,871.38
	$15,286.64

By Cash from last report,	$1,204.82
Interest on City and County Hall Bonds,	350.00
Interest on Buffalo City Water Bonds,	210.00
Interest on Buffalo Board of Trade Bonds,	164.15
Interest on Buffalo Library Bonds,	110.00
Interest on Bonds and Mortgages,	480.00
Interest on Bank Account,	78.58
Dues,	4,406.49
Fines,	549.76
Finding Lists Sold,	45.25
Rent of Books,	102.51
Rent of Periodicals,	21.00
Sundry Collections,	64.08
Real Estate Commissioners,	7,500.00
	$15,286.64

LIBRARY FUND.

3 Buffalo City Water Bonds,	$3,000.00
1 City and County Hall Bond,	5,000.00
55 Buffalo Library Bonds,	2,750.00
Bond and Mortgage,	2,000.00
Bond and Mortgage,	6,000.00
Cash,	3,433.74
	$22,183.74

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

BUFFALO, February 25, 1889. R. H. PLUMB, *Auditor.*

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY BUILDING FUND.

To Buffalo Savings Bank Account Mortgage,	$325,000.00
Sale of Bonds,	95,000.00
Accrued Interest on Bonds,	1,218.87
Interest on Bank Account,	1,227.58
	$422,446.45

By Advertising in Hotel Register,	$45.00
J. E. Beckman, Engineer and Assistant,	126.10
Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory,	206.16
Brady & Maltby,	425.00
Paul Gerhard,	450.00
Henry Zipp, for Coal,	535.50
Malcolm & Wolsley,	900.00
Buffalo Granolithic Paving Co.,	1,742.56
C. L. W. Eidlitz,	10,000.00
Jacob Reiman,	10,575.00
Irlbacker & Davis,	20,500.00
Perth Amboy Terra Cotta Co.,	26,730.00
H. C. Harrower,	74,188.01
Chas. Berrick,	246,578.50
Coupons,	50.00
	$393,051.83
Cash on Hand,	29,394.62
	$422,446.45

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

BUFFALO, February 25, 1889. R. H. PLUMB, *Auditor.*

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONERS BUFFALO LIBRARY.

To Cash on hand last report,	$35,177.85
Rent of Old Court House from J. S. Williams,	271.07
Rent of Old Court House from St. John's Church,	305.00
Rent of Lecture Room Buffalo Medical Association,	42.00
Buffalo Historical Society property for heating to Nov. 1st, '88,	500.00
Collected account of Subscriptions Library Building Fund,	95.00
Interest on Bank Account,	950.50
	$37,341.42

By Sundry Expenses,	$134.10
Irlbacker & Davis, for grate bars,	123.40
Irbacker & Davis, for sundry repairs,	57.63
Danforth & Clark, heater,	65.00
Frank Snyder, carting old iron, 1887,	122.70
Woodworth & Hawley, insurance,	78.00
Elizabeth Kreig, janitress, 13 months,	325.00
John Kreig, janitor, 13 months,	715.00
Extra labor, care of Library Building,	760.09

Coal,	984.16
Local and Sprinkling Taxes,	258.80
Ellicott Street Paving Tax,	1,144.45
Ellicott Street Extension Tax,	1,090.56
Erie County Savings Bank, interest on bonds,	300.00
Buffalo Savings Bank, interest on mortgage,	11,793.05
J. L. Williams, Treasurer Executive Committee,	7,500.00
	$25,451.91
Cash on hand,	11,889.51
	$37,341.42

COUPON ACCOUNT.

By Cash in Erie County Savings Bank last report,	$138.70
Interest on account,	5.18
Cash deposited,	300.00
	$443.88

Contra.

To Coupons paid by Erie County Savings Bank,	$327.50
Balance on hand, February 25th, 1889,	116.38
	$443,88

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

BUFFALO, February 25 1889.

R. H. PLUMB, *Auditor.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

Since the last annual report of the Board of Real Estate, the building of the new fire-proof hotel—the Iroquois Hotel, as it is named—has advanced from the earlier to the later stages of its construction. The walls were completed in the beginning of October last; the roof was finished perfectly, some time before the coming of winter; the heating plant was in operation as soon as needed, and the interior finish of the building has been carried forward rapidly since. All partitions throughout the building are in place; all the floor arches and the cement above them are laid; two-thirds of the entire plastering is done. A large part

of the very limited wood-work of the building is ready to go into place as fast as the rooms can be sufficiently dried to receive it. The plumbing, steam-fitting, gas-piping and electric-wiring, is as nearly complete as the present state of the building permits. The setting up of the iron stairways, which is the last of the iron work to be done, except the entrance porch, has been commenced. Two of the stores on the main floor are entirely finished and ready for occupation. The other two are at the point of completion. Throughout the work there has been little avoidable delay in any part of it. It has been advanced about as rapidly on the whole, as is consistent with good workmanship in so massive a structure. The early hope that we might offer the hotel to its lessees, ready for occupation, by the coming May day, will not be quite realized, but that time is not likely to be over-passed by more than two or three months. The cost of the building, under contracts fulfilled and otherwise, and with estimates for the small amount of work not yet contracted for, is shown in a statement prepared by the President for his address on quitting the chair. It need not be repeated here.

The hotel was leased in June last to Messrs. James Gerrans, (since deceased), H. M. Gerrans and W. E. Woolley, for ten years, at the annual rental of $41,000; the lessees also undertaking the operation of an electric-light plant in the hotel building, to supply light to the Library as well as to the hotel, without charge to the former. Since the death of Mr. James Gerrans, Mr. H. M. Gerrans and Mr. Woolley have assumed the lease. An additional lease has lately been made to the same gentlemen, of the Washington street end of the store which runs through from Main to Washington street, for uses connected with the hotel, at an annual rental of $2,400 for ten years.

One of the stores, No. 367 Main street, has been leased to Mr. G. D. Barr. Various propositions for the leasing of the other stores are under consideration.

The old Court House building, at the corner of Clinton and Ellicott streets, was leased on the first of January, for a term of

five years, to the St. John's Church, for use in connection with the educational work organized by the rector, Rev. S. A. Fuller. The alterations and repairs necessary to adapt it to this use, were made at the expense of the lessees, except that the roof of the building was put in order, by the Library, at a cost of $770. The annual rental to be paid is $1,220, which includes compensation for steam heating.

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND HAYES,
F. L. DANFORTH,
WILSON S. BISSELL,
GEORGE GORHAM.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

The Inspectors of Election for the annual election, held February 12, 1889, presented their report, from which the following is an extract:

"And we do further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President,	DANIEL H. McMILLAN.
Treasurer,	NATHANIEL ROCHESTER.
Curator,	WILLIAM B. HOYT.
Directors,	PHILO D. BEARD, WORTHINGTON C. MINER, LAURENCE O. ALLEN, STEPHEN M. CLEMENT, JR.
Real Estate Commissioner,	JOHN L. WILLIAMS.

PETER P. BURTIS,
W. K. ALLEN,
H. H. BAKER, } *Inspectors*."

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The retiring President, Mr. George Gorham, then delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library: It devolves upon me at this time to inform you what has been accomplished by your officers during the year now closed. The report of the Superintendent has shown you the condition of the Library and its wants and its usefulness. I can add nothing to it, but commend it to your consideration.

Our material energies have been concentrated upon the task of rebuilding the Hotel and getting our property in condition to yield a revenue to meet expenses and enlarge our sphere of usefulness.

This work has devolved by law upon the Board of Real Estate, who have applied themselves most diligently to the work in hand; and it has been no light task, involving as it has, many and long meetings, and the consideration of numerous contracts covering countless details.

In this duty the Board has had the leadership of its chairman, Mr. Edmund Hayes, who has devoted himself so diligently to the interests of the Library, and so freely, generously and unselfishly given his time and his intelligent oversight to the work, that I feel that every member of the Library and every citizen of Buffalo owes him thanks and grateful recognition of his invaluable services. Any man who gives for the public benefit, such untiring zeal, honest endeavor, valuable time, and large experience, as Mr. Hayes has to the Buffalo Library, merits public recognition of his services, and I know I voice the sentiment of the Board of Managers and Real Estate when I render him my own and your earnest expressions of gratitude.

A year ago, the Hotel existed only in its foundations. It is now well on towards completion, and while no promise can be made when it will be ready for occupancy, I express the hope that by the first of July we may see opened for use the finest

fire-proof hotel between New York and Chicago. The reputation of the lessees warrants me in saying that the character of the house will be equal to its elegance and solidity of structure. Beyond all other merit *it is fire-proof* in the broadest signification of those words. Nothing has entered into its construction except brick, stone and iron, beyond the wooden flooring laid on iron girders, brick arches and cement bedding, and doors, casings, and baseboards.

The whole construction is of the best and heaviest character, and it is believed that the contractors have done good and honest work, for which they are entitled to credit. No cracks or settlements have appeared as yet, and there seems to be no reason why the building should not stand for hundreds of years to come, as a monument to the generosity of the public-spirited citizens of Buffalo, who from time to time have given of their means to a noble object.

Nearly all the contracts have now been let, there remaining only the decorating, refrigerating, kitchen work and wainscotting of lobby. Believing that you are not only all interested in knowing what this building is to cost, and that you and the public have the right to know how your officers have executed their trust, and at the risk of making this address more dry and prosy than it otherwise would be, I venture to give an itemized statement of the contracts and extra work, as follows:

Charles Berrick, masonry,	$313,709.00
Charles Berrick, extra bills to Dec. 1,	2,000.66
Jacob Reiman, carpenter work,	84,575.00
H. C. Harrower, iron work and extras,	106,979.31
Irlbacker & Davis, steam heating, gas piping, plumbing, &c.,	59,717.25
U. S. Electric Light Co., plant,	15,800.00
F. P. Jones & Co., annunciators,	1,721.00
Granolithic Paving Co., sidewalk,	1,742.56
Brady & Maltby, curb and porch stone,	863.00
Perth Amboy Terra Cotta Co.,	26,730.00
Malcolm & Wolsley, tiling, mantels and mirrors, (about)	7,700.00
Machwirth Bros., conductors,	375.00
C. L. W. Eidlitz, architect,	15,000.00
Paul Gerhard, sanitary engineer, (railroad fare to be added,)	550.00
Pittsburgh Testing Laboratory, inspection of steel beams,	206.18

Otis Brothers & Co., elevators,	10,000.00
Weed & Co., hardware, (about),	4,600.00
W. H. Glenny, Sons & Co., gas fixtures,	7,700.00
	$659,968.96

This total will be increased by the contracts still to be made, by some extra work, and by contingencies — about $15,000, making the total cost of the building as near as can now be stated, $675,000.00.

The estimated annual rents from the Hotel and the stores is $54,000. At present the portions rented give a revenue of $45,200, to which is to be added the lighting of the Library building with electricity by the lessees of the Hotel, which is equal to $1,500 more, that being the sum now expended for electric light per year.

The mortgage debt upon the Library and Hotel property is $850,000, of which $600,000 bears interest at 3½ per cent. and $250,000 at 5 per cent. In addition there is an indebtedness in the way of old bonds not secured by mortgage, still outstanding, of $7,600, of which $2,750 is held in the Library Fund.

The fixed charges upon all this indebtedness is $33,880. To meet this, we have rentals of Hotel and stores, say $54,000; rent of Old Court House, $1,220; total, $55,220; or a surplus available for meeting the expenses of the Library and to apply on indebtedness, of $21,320 a year.

The Library expenses may be fairly stated at $15,000 per year, and its revenues from dues, fines, interest, &c., at $6,000, which will leave say $10,000 to apply each year to the sinking fund.

Of the bonds secured by second mortgage upon all the real property of the Library there remain about $80,000 not paid or subscribed for, and I trust that this explicit showing will convince investors that these bonds are a safe investment. And they are safe — not only intrinsically, but morally. This property belongs to Buffalo; it is public and for public good. The Hotel has been built, and this large debt incurred pursuant to public demand, and it enures to Buffalo's reputation and welfare.

Will Buffalo ever stand quietly by and see these mortgages foreclosed and this property pass into other hands? Never! The citizens would rise to the occasion and money would flow to the treasury to avert such a calamity, faster even and more generously than ever before.

During the year the old Court House has been leased to St. John's Church for five years, at an annual rental of $1,220, the Library furnishing steam for heating, but the lessee paying for all alterations and improvements, which revert to the Library at the end of the lease. But little, if anything, will be realized from this rental the present year, for the reason that the cost of extensive repairs to the roof will equal the year's rental, or nearly so.

The demands of the new building upon the treasury have been so great that a less sum has been expended for books than usual. This is a misfortune certainly, but it could not be helped, deprived as we have been of all revenues for the time being. I fear a like economy must be practiced the coming year, but 1890 ought to mark an era of permanent increase to the Library.

The bequest of Mr. F. W. Tracy, which, by the terms of his will, goes into the Library Fund, has not yet been paid, but it is confidently expected that it will be in the immediate future.

It may be stated that we are in a fair way to realize something upon the bequest of LeGrand Marvin, but I venture no statement of the time when that may happen. The amount too is uncertain, but a fair estimate is somewhere about $30,000.

The Board of Managers, in its various committees, have displayed unwonted zeal in their work and have accomplished many happy results. An unusual number of meetings have been held and the attendance has been most prompt and uniform.

I cannot close these remarks without publicly calling your attention to the long and faithful service of Mr. John L. Williams as Treasurer. He retires from the treasuryship after a continuous service of eleven years. His administration has been

attended without the loss of a dollar to your institution, and he has performed an amount of honest, faithful work which no one outside of the management can ever realize. When so many fail in their stewardship, the honest care and accounting for hundreds of thousands of dollars deserves public mention.

I present to you your new President, who, after a long service in the management, has been promoted to be the head of our institution, and who will bring to his position experience and ability.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

Mr. Daniel H. McMillan, the President-elect, then addressed the meeting, as follows:

Members of the Buffalo Library: Under the law regulating the control and management of the affairs of the Buffalo Library, the President is required to communicate at the annual meeting "such matters and make such suggestions relative to the affairs of the Association as may, in his opinion, tend to promote its prosperity and welfare."

No issue was presented and no question involved at the last election save the choosing of officers for the ensuing year. In the rivalry which ensued, old methods, which are part and parcel of the history of this institution, were resorted to which in cooler moments and outside the field of friendly and earnest strife, have, in days past, been deprecated by some and approved by others. Eighteen years ago the President of this Association, in his annual address, referring to this subject, which had been discussed in connection with his own election, said: "Unless we firmly make up our minds to take immediate and decided measures to preserve the purity of our elections, we will soon be an Association bound together, not by ties of friendship, intelligence and education, but by the dollars and cents of the moneyed men of our community—certainly a result fatal to our

nstitution. I earnestly trust that this state of affairs will cease o exist, and that knowing the disease, we will promptly and mmediately apply a cure."

I recall the election to which this reference was made, as the irst at which I cast a ballot; nor have I forgotten the kindness of he one by whose favor I was granted that privilege — it was your honored townsman, the President, Grover Cleveland. The privileges and advantages derived from that membership have been most satisfactory and gratifying. Indeed, few can measure, save by experience, what membership in a great Association like his imports to the lad of spare means in a city of strangers.

Do not, however, misunderstand me — I do not approve of he method, but it has two sides. Patrons of the Library have honestly differed as to the policy most advantageous to the Association, and I presume, for this reason more than any other, our governing laws to-day are not more specific on this subject, and that no action whatever was taken in pursuance of the suggestions contained in the President's address of '71, until after he election a few years later, known as the "Tin Pail" election, when at the first annual meeting at which it could be considered, he following amendment of the By-Laws was adopted:—

"*Resolved*, that no person shall vote or be eligible to office at a regular or special election who was not a member at the time of holding the caucus for such election."

Immediately on the adoption of this resolution, an Ex-President of the Association, who now holds a judicial office, expressed himself as being in doubt as to the effect it might have upon the welfare of the Association, and thereupon gave notice that he would move for the repeal of the resolution at the next annual meeting. Three years later, on the revision of the By-Laws, in '77, while this Association was under the management of a most excellent and reputable Executive Committee, the above By-Law totally disappears and the "pernicious" principle of "undue influence" survives.

Indeed, I am credibly informed that at each annual election of the Association, save two, held within the past nineteen years, in which there has been active rivalry between the candidates, these methods have obtained to a greater or less extent, depending solely upon the heat of the contest. If for no other reason than to avoid unseemly clamor and the engendering of ill feeling among friends, the time has fully come when the soliciting of individuals to membership during the period intervening the caucus and election should be prohibited. To this end it is recommended that the organic law of the Association be so amended that no person shall be entitled to vote at the annual election who shall not have been a member at the time of the holding of the caucus immediately preceding such annual election; and that no person shall be elected to membership after the holding of such caucus until after the annual election shall have taken place. With a view of obtaining preference on the order of business in the State Legislature, an act to this effect has been drafted and transmitted to our representatives in Albany, with a request that the bill be introduced and held in committee, subject to the direction of the Board of Managers, and if approved by the board, it will be pressed to final passage.

It is also recommended that immediate action be taken by the present Board of Managers to bring the Library more intimately to the notice of the great body of the people for whose benefit and interest it was founded, and for whose use it has been fostered and maintained. The great mass of our people regard the Buffalo Library in the light of an exclusive and private institution; they admire the architectural beauty of the structure, and peer longingly in at the windows, but know not that the feast within is set for them "without money and without price." The privileges granted this institution by the State are upon the theory that it is a part of its educational system; the privileges granted and conditions imposed are reciprocal; if we avail ourselves of the one, we must accord the other; and to this end, with the approval and concurrence of the Superintendent of Education, a suitable

rinted and framed notice should be kept in a conspicuous place n the wall of the corridor in each of the public school build- ıgs of the city, setting forth that the privileges of the Library ıd the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the ibrary building are free to all; that the Library is open for the xamination and perusal of its treasures on Sunday from 1 to 6 'clock, P. M., and that all are welcome. The stimulating in- uences of bringing young students in contact with an institution f this character and tendering to each the facilities which are fforded cannot be over-estimated. A single illustrated paper ent to a farmer lad thirty years ago changed the whole tenor of is life; it raised his eyes from the "muck rake" and he saw ıe sun. A shabby copy of Euclid, rescued from the ash-barrel y a "charcoal boy," inspired within him an impulse and an mbition which gave to this country one of its foremost jurists. A shattered volume of Blackstone, discovered at the wayside, hanged the course of Lincoln from the shop toward the White Iouse. Let us, then, cut loose from the old command, "Mark ime!" and emblazon upon our banner the new shibboleth, Advance!" and take this institution out of the category of bonded book warehouses, facetiously called libraries," and lace the abundance of its treasures within the reach of every ıungry soul, by telling him of its existence and pointing the vay of access.

Your attention is also called to the importance of offering to he students of the public schools, with a view of stimulating heir interest not only in the schools, but in the Library, prizes of nembership for proficiency in scholarship. I would recommend hat two prizes, consisting of life membership in the Library, be offered upon such terms and conditions as the Board of Managers nay impose, one to the boys and one to the girls of the third year students of the Buffalo High School; and that two prizes of annual membership be offered, one to the boys and one to the girls of the second and first year students of the Buffalo High School, and to the first grade students of each of the

public schools of the city. These prizes will amount in the aggregate to two life memberships and forty annual memberships, yearly, having a monetary value of $220.00. It will extend the membership of the Association throughout the entire city and increase the number of members annually by an accession of forty-two of the most capable of our younger students. These prizes should be publicly presented at the annual meeting, and the names of the successful students separately entered in the record of membership in the annual printed report of the Library.

It is also recommended that a triangular portion of Broadway, adjoining the Library Building on the north, with a frontage on Washington street of about ninety feet, and extending easterly to a point before reaching Ellicott street, should, by legislative act, be placed under the control and management of the Park Commissioners, for ornamental park purposes, so that in summer this arid and dusty space of nearly 200 feet in width may be beautified and made attractive by the skill of our Park Superintendent, to the benefit and advantage of the Library and vicinity, as well as to the residents of this ever busy and popular thoroughfare.

The "Finding List," so vigorously pushed forward at its inception, giving us part one in '85 and part two in '86, should be completed at the earliest practicable day. A collection of volumes of the magnitude of the Buffalo Library without a catalogue of this class, which is both simple and inexpensive, is like a comprehensive treatise without an index—a labyrinth without a clue. When this Finding List is completed, each patron of the Library may have in his possession, if he desire it, at small expense, a completely-arranged and comprehensive index of the books, periodicals and pamphlets constituting our Library.

The By-Laws should be revised and made to conform to the present Charter, and such modifications and changes engrafted as have already been adopted from time to time by the Board of Managers, since the last revision in '82.

It is suggested, and by way of suggestion only, that some plan be devised whereby the present life memberships in the Buffalo

ibrary may be made memberships in perpetuity. The theory pon which these memberships were established is that the nnual income from a life membership fee shall amount to a sum qual to annual dues. It is of little moment whether the sum aid for a life membership has been invested in trust funds, in ooks, or in a permanent structure producing revenue: it is *rever* the property of the Library—it produces either revenue facilities, in perpetuity. The comparative value or cost of e and annual memberships will remain substantially the same; reduction in income from the one will undoubtedly be followed a corresponding reduction in the cost of the other.

In any event the taxing of an additional sum for the privilege membership in perpetuity will insure an income or afford cilities for all time, equal in amount to the cost of annual mem-ership, and will also enhance the present revenues of the Asso-ation. However, this is but a suggestion which, it is hoped, ill some day ripen into a tangible fact, and I commend to the onsideration of the Board of Managers whether it will not be ise to make such changes and modifications in our By-Laws as ill permit the granting to every person now holding a life embership, upon the payment of the additional sum of $20, a embership in the Buffalo Library in perpetuity.

It is also suggested to both the Lecture and Membership ommittees, that a single popular lecture by one of the great rators of the day, to be given at Music Hall, would tend to opularize the Library, and bring it into public notice. It could e conducted upon a plan which would largely increase the embership and encourage the payment of dues by the sale of ckets at half-rate to all members of the Library not in arrears. ome stimulating influence must be used, not only to increase he membership and carry the "cross of light" into the be-ighted home, but the maintenance of membership should be ncouraged until the dawn of the "new day" when the Buffalo ibrary will be free, in the circulation of its books, to all. And his brings me to the consideration of another subject,—the duty

of the municipality, in these days of our trying need, to yield to the Buffalo Library the pittance which the State has sanctioned.

The great interest in the cause of education taken by our mayor and the council leads me to believe that a proper presentation of this matter would be favorably considered by them.

The payment of $5,000 annually by the city at this time would hasten the day when this Association could with safety to itself (and to the institutions by whose financial generosity and favor we have been enabled to make our property productive) afford free library facilities to every citizen of Buffalo.

I cannot permit this occasion to pass without calling your attention to the retiring President, who rounds out and completes with his term of office one of the six most eventful and important years in the history of this Association. He is entitled to your deepest gratitude for the assiduous care with which he has guarded and promoted the interests of this great institution; his sterling qualities and conservative management have endeared him to the Board of Managers, and those of us who have had the good fortune to occupy a position in the Board during these six years, have found in George Gorham a worthy successor to the heroic two whose courage, tact and energy have aided us to a permanent home, and the means whereby we may enjoy it.

The names of Smith, Richmond and Gorham will long be honored and revered by all who can appreciate their self-sacrificing labor and earnest effort to *accumulate*, *build up* and *make productive* the properties of the Buffalo Library.

Mr. Gorham moved that one thousand copies of the annual report of the Library, including the proceedings of the annual meeting, be printed. The motion was duly seconded and carried.

President McMillan then announced the Standing Committees for the ensuing year, as follows:

Library—Bissell, Hollister, Hoyt, Pooley, Altman.
Finance—Plumb, Altman, Beard, Clement, Rochester.
Law—Pooley, Norton, Simons, Plumb.
Membership—Altman, Simons, Allen, Hawley.
By-Laws—Norton, Pooley, Williams, Beard.
Lectures—Beard, Allen, Plumb.
Donations—Hawley, Williams, Norton.
Newspapers and Periodicals—Simons, Clement, Townsend.
Rooms and Fixtures—Townsend, Altman, Clement.
Printing—Williams, Hawley, Miner.
Archives—Allen, Townsend, Williams.
Auditor—Clement.

The meeting then adjourned.

WORTHINGTON C. MINER,
Recording Secretary.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Aberdeen, Scotland, Public Library,	...	1
Alward, Mrs. Emily,	1	...
American Institute of Homeopathy,	1	...
American Institute of Mining Engineers,	1	30
American McAll Association,	1	4
American Microscopical Journal,	...	1
American Philosophical Society,	1	3
American Protective Tariff League,	...	10
Ames Free Library, North Easton, Mass.,	...	1
Ames, John G., Washington,	...	1
Amherst College,	...	2
Andrews, Gen. C. C.,	...	1
Andrews, Dr. J. B.,	...	3
Andrus, Hon. Leroy,	1	...
Appleton & Co.,	1	...
Apprentices' Library, New York,	1	4
Astor Library, New York,	...	2
Ayer & Co., J. C.,	1	...
Ballard, Rev. Geo. G.,	1	1
Bangor, Me., Public Library,	...	1
Bartram, W. H. H., Minneapolis,	...	...
Bell, Geo. C.,	11	...
Binghamton Board of Trade,	1	...
Birchard Library, Fremont, O.,	...	2
Black, W. H.,	...	1
Boeschat, M. F.,	4	...
Bourke, Capt. John G., U. S. A.,	...	1
Bowdoin College Library,	...	1
Boston Children's Aid Society,	...	1
Boston City Hospital,	1	...
Boston City Messenger,	2	...
Boston Public Library,	3	1
Bourinot, J. G., Ottawa, Canada,	...	1
Bower, G. N.,	...	1
Bradnack, F., M. D.,	...	1
Bridgeport Public Library,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Briggs, A. H., M. D.,	...	3
Bronson Library, Waterbury, Conn.,	...	2
Brookline, Mass., Public Library,	...	1
Brooklyn Library,	...	1
Brown University,	...	1
Bryant, William C.,	1	2
Bryant & Stratton's Business College,	...	1
Brymner, Douglas, Esq., Archivist of Canada,	1	...
Buffalo Board of Police,	...	2
Buffalo Charity Organization Society,	...	1
Buffalo City Clerk,	1	...
Buffalo City Engineer,	1	...
Buffalo Commissioners of the Fire Department,	...	1
Buffalo Comptroller,	1	...
Buffalo Fine Arts Academy,	...	3
Buffalo General Hospital,	...	1
Buffalo Historical Society,	...	1
Buffalo Merchants' Exchange,	...	1
Buffalo Orphan Asylum,	...	1
Buffalo Park Commissioners,	...	3
Buffalo Superintendent of Education,	2	1
Buffalo Water Works,	1	...
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association,	1	2
Burgher, J. C., M. D., Pittsburgh,	1	...
California Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
California, University of,	...	11
Cambridge, Mass., Public Library,	...	1
Canada Department of Agriculture,	1	...
Cardiff, Wales, Free Library,	...	1
Cary, Mrs. Walter,	20	...
Charleston Ladies' Calhoun Monument Association,	...	1
Charlton, John, Esq., M. P.,	29	8
Chicago Department of Public Works,	2	...
Chicago Public Library,	...	2
Cincinnati Board of Education,	1	1
Cincinnati Y. M. Mercantile Library,	...	1
Clark, Helen I.,	1	...
Clarke & Co., Robert, Cincinnati,	...	1
Coit, Mrs. F. S.,	...	3
Coles, Dr. Abraham, Newark, N. J.,	1	...
Columbia College Library,	...	2
Connecticut Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
Conover, Hon. Geo. S., Geneva,	...	2
Cook, Dr. J. T.,	...	5
Cooper Union, New York,	1	...
Cornell University Library,	1	1
Courier Company,	...	3

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Cox, Hon. S. S.,	...	1
Cruikshank, Ernest, Fort Erie,	...	1
Darrow, A. R.,	2	...
Day, Hon. David F.,	...	1
Denison University, Granville, O.,	...	1
Dewey, Melvil,	...	1
Dolmage, H. W.,	...	5
Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore,	...	2
Erie County Almshouse,	...	2
Evarts, Hon. W. M.,	13	...
Farquhar, Hon. John M.,	57	6
Federation Britannique, continentale et générale, Geneva, Switzerland,	5	37
Felton, C. E., Chicago,	...	3
Fitch, Hon. Ashbel P.,	...	1
Foster, J., London, Eng.,	1	...
Frank, T. P.,	1	1
Freeman, Dr. S. A.,	11	...
Friends' Free Library, Philadelphia,	...	1
Fullerton, Alex.,	...	1
Gager, John C.,	1	2
Gallagher, Hon. E.,	2	...
Gluck, Jas. F.,	1	1
Goodell, Abner C., Jr., Boston,	...	2
Gorham, George,	32	...
Grand Lodge, F. and A. M., State of New York,	1	...
Grand Rapids Public Library,	...	1
Green, Hon. Samuel A., Boston,	2	...
Green, Hon. Seth, Rochester,	..	3
Hale, Hon. Eugene,	1	...
Hampton, Va., Normal and Ag. Inst.,	...	2
Hartford Library Association,	...	2
Hartford Theological Seminary,	...	3
Harvard University,	...	13
Haverhill Public Library	1	...
Hollister, F. M.,	...	24
Hudson House of Refuge for Women,	...	2
Hunt, T. F., Salem, Mass.,	2	6
Hussey, Dr. Curtiss G., Pittsburgh,	1	...
Indiana Civil Service Reform Association,	...	2
Indianapolis Public Library,	1	1
Indianapolis School Commissioners,	...	1
Industrial League,	...	14
International Committee of Young Men's Christian Associations,	1	...
Inter-State Publishing Company,	3	...
Johns Hopkins University,	...	2
Jones, Rev. William M.,	57	62

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Lafayette, Ind., Public Library,	...	1
Law Society of Upper Canada,	...	1
Lawrence, Mass., Public Library,	...	1
Le Couteulx St. Mary's Institution,	1	1
Leeds, Eng., Free Public Library,	...	2
Leeson, J. R., Boston,	1	1
Long Island Historical Society,	...	1
Lowell City Library,	...	5
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1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,500.00	George Truscott.
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Wait, Mattie C.
Wall, Mrs. Fred. B.
Walker, Dr. Catherine
Warner, Miss Emma
Warner, Miss J. A.
Warner, Mrs. Ludwig A.
Warren, Calista
Watson, Miss Eva
Watts, Miss Jennie
Weeks, Miss Ida J.
Weill, Mrs. Alphonse
Weill, Mrs. H.
Weill, Mrs. L. E.
Weill, Mrs. Louis
Weisner, Mrs. C. L.
Welch, Miss Anna
Welch, Jane Meade
Weller, Miss Emma C.
Wendell, Miss Jeanette
Wendt, Miss Libbie
Westcott, Genevieve N.
Wheeler Miss Mary C.
White, Mrs. Eva B.
White, Jennie S.
White, Mrs. M. E.
Whitehead, Mrs. V. L.
Whiting, MMrs. ary
Whitney, Miss Anna
Whitney, Grace
Whitten, Miss C.
Whitten, Miss Anna E.
Whittlesey, Mrs. T. H.
Wilgus, Mrs. F. A.
Willett, Mrs. C. H.
Williams, Annie S.
Williams, Mrs. Richard
Williamson, Miss Minnie A.
Willyoung, Mrs. A. S.
Wilson, Alice
Wilson, Edith B.
Winchester, Miss Grace
Wing, Mrs. Julia
Winn, Mrs. A. C.
Wissell, Carrie
Woehnert, Miss Alice
Wolff, Hattie P.
Woltge, Mrs. Wm.
Wood, Emma
Woodring, Susan
Wright, Fanny M.
Wright, Mrs. Mary A.
Wyman, Mrs. J. F.
Young, Anna H.
Young, Flora
Zook, Miss Kate

LIFE MEMBERS.

Abbott, F. W. 1875
Adam, R. B. 1884
Adam, R. B., Jr. 1884
Adams, Miss H. A. 1884
Adams, James 1881
Adams, John C. 1884
Adams, S. C. 1872
Albright, Mrs. J. J. 1884
Albright, J. J., Jr. 1884
Albright, L. 1884
Albright, R. K. 1884
Allen, Daniel W. 1884
Allen, Mrs. Evelyn S. 1885
Allen, Henry F. 1885
Allen, John F. 1885
Allen, Laurence O. 1884
Allen, Levi 1842
Allen, W. S. 1884
Allen, Wm. K. 1885
Almy, W. H. 1887
Altman, Henry 1884
Altman, Isaac 1884
Altman, Julius 1884
Alward, Mrs. Emily B. 1884
Ames, Mrs. Samuel 1885
Anderson, Charles F. 1884
Andrews, J. B., M. D. 1884
Amstrong, Charles B. 1886
Amstrong, Charles N. 1886
Ash, James 1884
Atwater, E. M. 1881
Atwater, Samuel T. 1885
Atwater, William T. 1884
Austin, Charles W. 1885

Avery, Mrs. Delia S. 1884
Avery, Miss L. A. 1884
Avery, T. C. 1884
Avery, Truman G. 1875
Bacon, E. R. 1873
Bailey, Charles H. 1886
Bailey, George J. 1884
Baker, George Hayward 1874
Baker, Howard A. 1884
Baker, Howard H. 1872
Baker, Lyman M. 1886
Baldy, Mrs. C. W. 1873
Ball, Kneeland 1885
Barnard, Joseph E. 1884
Barnard, Seymour 1885
Barnum, Mrs. G. Horton 1887
Barnum, T. D. 1884
Barr, G. D. 1884
Barr, W. H. 1886
Barr, W. H. D. 1884
Bartlett, Fred. M. B. 1886
Bartlett, G. F. H. 1884
Bartlett, Mrs. G. F. H. 1884
Barton, Oliver F. 1857
Barton, Thomas D. 1857
Bass, Mrs. Frances M. 1886
Bass, Lyman M. 1884
Bass, Lyman K. 1871
Beales, E. P. 1881
Beales, P. P. 1885
Beard, Daniel C. 1881
Beard, Philo D. 1877
Becker, Alfred Le Roy 1885
Becker, Emil A., Jr. 1888
Becker, Philip 1871
Beecher, James C. 1884
Beecher, T. S. 1870
Bedford, John M. 1885
Beier, Miss Bertha C. 1887
Beier, J., Jr. 1887
Beier, Mrs. J. 1887
Bell, David 1870
Bell, Edwin A. 1885
Bell, F. A. 1884
Bell, George F. 1885
Bell, George H. 1884
Bennett, D. S. 1863
Bennett, Edward 1881
Bennett, Leslie J. 1884
Bennett, Lewis J. 1884
Benson, Morris 1887
Bentley, George T. 1881
Bergtold, W. Harry 1885
Berrick, Alfred A. 1884
Berrick, Charles 1884
Berrick, John F. 1884
Bidwell, Miss L. K. 1885
Birge, Henry M. 1886
Birge, M. H. 1886
Bishop, Charles F. 1884
Bissell, Herbert P. 1884
Bissell, Howard 1884
Bissell, Mary Eleanor 1884
Bissell. Raymond 1884
Bissell, Thomas H. 1884
Bissell, Wilson S. 1879
Blacking, Charles 1884
Blake, Miss E. L. 1885
Blakeslee, Harvey D. 1884
Bleistein, George 1885
Bliss, Mrs. Seth P. 1884
Bloomer, C. A. 1884
Boardman, John 1884
Boland, James 1888
Bolt, F. C. 1884
Bonner, Margaret 1884
Bork, Joseph 1873
Bowen, Harry W. 1885
Box, Henry W. 1874
Box, Mrs. Henry W. 1884
Box, Mary E. 1884
Bradnack, Fowler 1867
Brayley, Miss Grace H. 1885
Brayley, Mrs. Mary A. 1885
Brayton, Irwin R. 1886
Brewster, Edward 1857
Briggs, A. H. 1886
Briggs, George D. 1884
Briggs, Horace 1884
Brisbane, George 1885
Brock, L. M. 1885
Brown, Daniel 1865
Brown, David E. 1888
Brown, Henry M. 1880
Brown, James Ed. 1884
Brown, R. N. 1881

Brunck, Miss Kate I. 1885
Brush, Alexander 1874
Bryant, George H. 1881
Bryant, Mrs. Howard 1884
Bryant, Jennie D. 1886
Bryant, J. S. 1873
Bryant, John C. 1884
Bryant, Joseph S. 1884
Bryant, Mary S. 1884
Bryant, Warren 1837
Bryant, Warren W. 1867
Bryant, William C. 1884
Bryant, William L. 1884
Buck, E. A. 1872
Buck, George S. 1884
Buck, Harriet M. 1884
Bull, Carl 1870
Bull, Henry 1884
Bull, Henry A. 1884
Bull, Robert W. 1884
Bull, Sarah W. 1885
Bull, William S. 1884
Bullard, P. W. 1886
Burke, Agnes E. 1884
Burke, William 1886
Burt, Henry W. 1865
Burtis, Miss Kate T. 1884
Burtis, Morse T. 1887
Burtis, Peter P. 1878
Burwell, Geo. N. 1865
Bush, George H. 1886
Bush, John W. 1860
Bushnell, Clarence M. 1884
Butler, E. H. 1884
Butman, C. A. 1884
Butterfield, Thomas 1884
Byrne, John, Jr. 1885
Caldwell, S. D. 1869
Carpenter, Thomas P. 1884
Cary, Charles 1884
Cary, Miss Julia 1884
Cary, Mrs. Julia 1884
Cary, Miss Sarah 1884
Cary, Thomas 1880
Cary, Walter 1874
Case, W. A. 1885
Case, W. G. 1885
Chamot, Emile M. 1884
Chandler, Henry 1869
Chapin, E. H. 1872
Chapin, Willis O. 1884
Chase, J. L. 1884
Chester, Mrs. A. T. 1884
Chester, Carl T. 1885
Chester, Miss Ellen K. 1884
Chester, Katherine 1884
Chester, Walter T. 1872
Chichester, J. L. 1865
Crittenden, John L. 1884
Churchyard, John 1874
Churchyard, Joseph 1874
Churchyard, William K. 1874
Clapp, Henry H. 1881
Clark, A. Ralph 1884
Clark, Charles A. 1857
Clark, Charles A., Jr. 1884
Clark, Charles S. 1884
Clark, Delavan F. 1865
Clark, Mrs. Delia S. 1884
Clark, Edward D. 1884
Clark, H. P. 1884
Clark, Irwin B. 1885
Clark, Miss Jessie E. 1884
Clark, Stephen C. 1865
Clark, Stephen D. 1884
Clark, Townsend D. 1884
Clement, S. M. 1870
Clement, S. M., Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. S. M., Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. Sarah E. 1885
Cleveland, Grover 1870
Clinton, DeWitt 1878
Clinton, George 1885
Close, Emery P. 1884
Coakley, J. B. 1884
Cobb, Oscar 1881
Coit, Miss Charlotte 1887
Coit, Miss Emily 1887
Coit, Frank S. 1870
Coit, George 1885
Coit, Miss Julia 1887
Collingwood, W. D. 1887
Comstock, Marc W. 1884
Cook, Edward L. 1884
Cook, Joseph T. 1887
Cook, Rev. P. G. 1870

Cornell, S. Douglass	1861	Diehl, Jacob W.	1884
Cornwell, William C.	1884	Diehl, John P.	1884
Cothran, G. W.	1872	Dobbins, David P.	1860
Cottier, Alonzo E.	1884	Dole, Thomas D.	1881
Cottier, W. H.	1884	Dopp, William H.	1871
Cowing, John H.	1875	Dorr, Edward	1865
Cowing, Stanley B.	1884	Dorr, Frank Ingersoll	1867
Cowels, Seth G.	1886	Dorr, George Prince	1867
Cowels, Seth H.	1886	Dorr, John Nichols	1867
Coxe, Arthur Cleveland	1867	Douglass, W. H.	1872
Crosby, Thomas G.	1885	Doyle, Charles Edward	1887
Curtis, A. M.	1886	Doyle, Frank	1887
Curtiss, Charles G.	1884	Doyle, Peter C.	1872
Curtiss, Harlow C.	1884	Doyle, Wm. L.	1872
Cushman, Charles W.	1888	Dubois, Frank	1884
Cutler, A.	1886	Dudley, James G.	1881
Cutler, Burwell L.	1886	Dudley, Joseph P.	1871
Cutler, Clifford A.	1886	Dunbar, C. F.	1884
Cutler, Fred. H.	1886	Dunbar, Geo. H.	1874
Cutter, William B.	1868	Dunbar, Robert	1866
Daboll, L. B.	1885	Dunstan, George H.	1872
Dakin, Mrs. Mary W.	1886	Duschak, Mrs. Agnes H.	1872
Danforth, F. L.	1872	Eagan, Sylvester F.	1888
Danforth, Frank L.	1884	Eames, Daniel D.	1884
Danforth, Fred. W.	1884	Eames, Edward A.	1885
Danforth, Richard E.	1884	Eames, E. W.	1867
Danforth, William E.	1884	Eames, M. R.	1867
Daniels, Charles	1881	Eames, Milo D.	1884
Daniels, C. H.	1884	Eckley, J. S.	1864
Dann, E. W.	1884	Eckley, Mrs. Elizabeth P.	1871
Dann, Walter J.	1884	Edmonds, E. R.	1884
Dart, Joseph, Jr.	1887	Edwards, Edward	1884
Davey, Marsden	1886	Ehrlic, Julius J.	1873
Davis, Miss Emily K.	1884	Elias, G.	1884
Davis, Harry P.	1884	Emerson, H. P.	1884
Davis, Jacob	1885	Emslie, Mrs. Peter	1884
Davis, J. Talman	1886	Ernest, H.	1886
Davis, Townsend	1884	Evans, Miss Alethe	1887
Davis, Mrs. Townsend	1884	Evans, Charles W.	1881
Davis, William H.	1884	Evans, Edwin T.	1865
Daw, Alfred D.	1881	Evans, Ellicott	1886
Dawes, Julius H.	1884	Evans, Grace E.	1886
Day, David F.	1871	Evans, James C.	1884
Dean, Wells P.	1871	Evans, James C., 2d	1873
Demarest, James F.	1857	Evans, Karl	1886
Depew, Chauncey M.	1884	Evans, Lewis M.	1872
Depew, Ganson S.	1884	Evans, Miss Sarah Grant	1887
Derrick, Geo. W.	1884	Evans, Miss Virginia	1884

Fairchild, Joseph L. . . . 1875
Farrar, C. M. . . . 1888
Farthing, John . . . 1881
Fassett, Clara S. . . . 1884
Fassett, Theodore S. . . . 1884
Fenton, James . . . 1834
Ferguson, F. C. . . . 1887
Ferris, Peter J. . . . 1886
Fillmore, M. P. . . . 1870
Fisher, James W. . . . 1872
Fiske, Frank W. . . . 1865
Fiske, George . . . 1885
Fiske, Willie P. . . . 1887
Fleming, Bryant . . . 1884
Fleming, Lucy S. . . . 1884
Fleming, William . . . 1881
Flint, Abby G. . . . 1884
Flint, Mrs. Johanna J. . . . 1884
Flint, Oscar T. . . . 1865
Flynn, Wm. Jared . . . 1884
Folsom, Benjamin . . . 1884
Folwell, B. . . . 1884
Folwell, Florence D. . . . 1884
Ford, Mrs. Helen J. . . . 1885
Ford, James A. . . . 1884
Ford, James E. . . . 1881
Forsyth, James G. . . . 1885
Fox, Arthur G. . . . 1874
Fox, L. J. . . . 1884
Francis, Wm. C. . . . 1884
Frentch, Albin S. . . . 1884
French, Henry C. . . . 1883
French, Henry C., Jr. . . . 1884
French, Jean Patterson . . . 1884
French, Thomas B. . . . 1884
French, Thomas B., Jr. . . . 1884
French, Washington B. . . . 1884
Frost, L. L. . . . 1884
Fullerton, H. F. . . . 1868
Fullerton, James C. . . . 1884
Fursman, E. L. . . . 1885
Gager, John C. . . . 1885
Ganson, Emily J. . . . 1884
Ganson, Henry . . . 1872
Gardner, William . . . 1857
Gatchell, Geo. S. . . . 1884
Gatchell, Mrs. Geo. S. . . . 1885
Gates, Miss Elizabeth H. . . . 1884
Gates, Mrs. Sarah A. . . . 1884
Gay, Louis F. . . . 1884
Germain, Charles B. . . . 1884
Gibbs, George W. . . . 1887
Gibson, Charles S. . . . 1884
Gies, Charles . . . 1885
Giershofer, Isaac . . . 1884
Gilbert, Fred. M. . . . 1884
Gilbert, Philip C. . . . 1884
Gilbert, R. W. . . . 1884
Glenny, Mrs. C. S. M. . . . 1885
Glenny, Wm. H. . . . 1866
Gluck, James F. . . . 1884
Gluck, Mrs. James F. . . . 1885
Goodyear, Anson C. . . . 1885
Goodyear, Chas. W. . . . 1884
Goodyear, Chas. W., Jr. . . . 1884
Goodyear, Esther . . . 1885
Goodyear, F. H. . . . 1885
Goodyear, Florence . . . 1885
Goodyear, Josephine . . . 1885
Goodyear, Grace E. . . . 1885
Goodyear, Josephine L. . . . 1885
Gorham, Miss Emily Grace . . . 1885
Gorham, Miss Frances P. . . . 1885
Gorham, George . . . 1884
Gorham, Marvin . . . 1885
Gorham, Nathaniel . . . 1884
Gorton, Cyrus J. . . . 1887
Gorton, H. W. . . . 1887
Gould, Miss Celia A. . . . 1887
Gould, Charles M. . . . 1887
Gould, Harry C. . . . 1887
Gould, Will. S. . . . 1887
Granger, E. W. . . . 1884
Granger, Harry . . . 1884
Granger, W. D. . . . 1884
Granger, W. H. . . . 1884
Grau, Wm. H. . . . 1874
Graves, Augusta A. . . . 1886
Graves, C. M. . . . 1887
Graves, Caroline M. . . . 1886
Graves, Gilbert S. . . . 1884
Graves, John C. . . . 1885
Graves, Katharine . . . 1886
Graves, Marie C. . . . 1886
Graves, Ruth . . . 1886
Gray, David, Jr. . . . 1872

Gray, Miss Jessie 1884
Greene, Geo. C. 1884
Greene, Geo. S. 1885
Greene, Mrs. Helen T . . 1885
Greene, John B. 1872
Greene, Mrs. John B. . . . 1885
Greene, Katharine T. . . 1885
Greene, Keturah B. 1885
Greene, Samuel B. 1885
Gregg, Edward B. 1884
Greiner, Charles 1884
Greiner, Ed. H. 1885
Greiner, John 1881
Grey, E. G. 1881
Grabenstater, Frank 1887
Grabenstater, John 1887
Guenther, John G. 1857
Guenther, N. J. R. 1866
Gurney, Charles L. 1876
Guthrie, Edward B. 1865
Guthrie, Henry S. 1872
Guthrie, S. S. 1881
Haffa, G. J. 1884
Haight, Albert 1884
Haight, Angeline 1885
Haight, Clara 1884
Haines, Alfred 1884
Haines, Emmor 1884
Haines, Harrison E 1884
Haines, Wm. Potter . . . 1884
Hall, Albert R. 1885
Hall, Charles T 1884
Hall, E. J. 1884
Hall, Nathaniel 1881
Hamlin, Bessie 1887
Hamlin, C. J. 1884
Hamlin, Charles W. 1882
Hamlin, Charles 1886
Hamlin, Chauncey J. . . . 1886
Hamlin, Elizabeth M. 1887
Hamlin, Frank 1887
Hamlin, Grace E. 1887
Hamlin, Harry 1886
Hamlin, Helen 1887
Hamlin, Kate 1887
Hamlin, Kate L. 1887
Hamlin, L. Belle 1887
Hamlin, Sarah Gates 1887
Hamlin, Sue 1887
Hamlin, Susan A. 1887
Handel, Francis 1884
Harmon, Rachel M. 1885
Harper, Worthington 1885
Harrington, D. W. 1884
Harris, E. P. 1886
Harrower, H. C. 1885
Harvey, H. J. 1884
Harvey, John H. 1884
Harvey, Leon F. 1884
Hatch, Miss Annie 1886
Hatch, Geo. T. 1885
Hatch, Miss Kate 1886
Hauenstein, Alfred G. 1885
Hauenstein, Harold 1885
Hauenstein, John 1884
Hauenstein, O. H. 1885
Hawks, E. C. 1884
Hawley, Edward S. 1875
Hawley, Elias S. 1865
Hawley, Lucien 1853
Hawley, Wm. A. 1887
Hayes, Edmund 1884
Hayes, Ed. W. 1884
Hayes, Geo. B. 1871
Hayes, Geo. D. 1874
Hayes, J. Arthur 1884
Hayes, M. Alice 1884
Hayes, Robert S. 1884
Hayward, Geo. W. 1882
Haywood, Geo. F. 1884
Hazard, A. M. 1884
Hazard, Geo. S. 1863
Heath, Miss Jessie 1886
Hedstrom, E. L. 1885
Hefford, R. R. 1884
Helsden, John 1886
Henderson, Miss Sarah A. . . . 1884
Henderson, Susan D. 1884
Hengerer, Wm. 1884
Hengerer, Wm. A. 1884
Hersee, Wm. M. 1885
Hess, F. B. 1872
Hibbard, Geo. B. 1881
Hickey, W. D 1884
Hickox, Porter B. 1884
Hickman, Arthur W. 1884

Hill, Miss Essie L. 1882
Hill, Thomas, Jr. 1888
Hingston, Ed. J. 1884
Hirschfield, Miss Emma M. . . 1878
Hodge, D. W. 1887
Hodges, Miss L. M. 1884
Hodges, Lewis L. 1837
Hodgson, Thomas 1885
Hoffman, R. B. 1884
Holland, Nelson 1873
Hollister, Frank M. 1884
Hollister, E. P. 1888
Holloway, John A. 1871
Holmes, B. 1886
Holmes, Edward B. 1884
Holmes, James S. 1886
Holt, Elizabeth D. 1884
Holt, Miss Rosa B. 1884
Hoole, A. J. 1885
Hopkins, Ann E. 1884
Hopkins, H. R. 1884
Hopkins, Hiram P. 1865
Hopkins, N. K. 1865
Hopkins, Walter G. 1884
Hopkins, Warren D. 1884
Horton, C. M. 1881
Hotchkiss, Chas. F. 1884
Hotchkiss, Miss Rosa E. . . . 1884
Houghton, A. A. 1884
Howard, Albert J. 1885
Howard, C. O. 1884
Howard, E. H. 1881
Howard, Ethan H. 1884
Howard, George F. 1886
Howard, George Jewett 1884
Howard, Gibson F. 1884
Howard, H. C. 1885
Howard, Rufus L. 1857
Howe, Lucien 1884
Howell, Leigh R. 1860
Hubbard, Linus 1881
Hubbell, A. S. 1881
Hubbell, Alfred H. 1884
Hubbell, H. S. 1884
Hubbell, Raynor 1884
Hull, Marvin 1884
Hunsicker, Joseph L. 1884
Hunsicker, Miss Leslie 1884
Hunt, Lyman 1884
Hurd, Miss Bessie L. 1885
Hurd, Charles A. 1885
Hurd, Chauncey M. 1885
Hurd, Ernst M. 1885
Hurd, Miss Florence 1885
Hurd, Harvey J. 1885
Hurd, Hiram D. 1885
Husted, Wm. H. 1856
Hutchinson, E. H. 1865
Hyde, Edna C. 1884
Ingersoll, Catherine M. 1884
Ingersoll, Charles A. 1884
Inglehart, Fred. M. 1884
Ingram, John C. 1874
Irish, Miss Jennie R. 1884
Irish, John P. 1884
Irlbacker, John 1885
Ives, William 1858
James, F. H. 1884
Jebb, William T. 1872
Jennings, E. H. 1884
Jewett, Edgar B. 1868
Jewett, Miss Ella 1884
Jewett, Fred. A. 1884
Jewett, Geo. E. W. 1865
Jewett, Miss Grace R. 1885
Jewett, Henry C. 1868
Jewett, James H. 1884
Jewett, John C. 1884
Jewett, John Edgar 1884
Jewett, John L. 1865
Jewett, Josiah 1868
Jewett, Miss Mabel 1885
Jewett, Nathan H. 1885
Jewett, Sherman S. 1861
Jewett, Sherman S., 2d. 1885
Johnson, Thomas M. 1884
Johnston, James M. 1884
Jones, Marshall N. 1872
Joyce, W. A. 1884
Judd, Birdie A. 1884
Judson, Malcolm C. 1887
Judson, William 1887
Keating, Francis Root 1884
Keating, Geo. P. 1884
Keating, Langford S. 1884
Kelderhouse, John 1881

Kellogg, Spencer 1884
Kelly, Miss Bessie 1885
Kelly, John 1874
Kendall, Miss Allie 1887
Kenney, James J. 1884
Kenney, James S. 1886
Kenney, Miss Sarah F. 1884
Kent, E. A. 1884
Kent, Ellen M. 1884
Kent, H. M. 1885
Kent, William W. 1884
Kester, Irving 1884
Ketchum, George B. 1868
Kimball, Lathrop T. 1884
Kimberly, E. L. 1884
Kimberly, Frank 1884
Kimberly, Shepard 1884
King, C. A. 1886
King, W. F. 1886
King, William, Jr. 1871
Kingsley, Mary C. 1884
Kip, Charles H. 1884
Kip, Henry Edward 1885
Kip, Henry W. 1865
Kip, Wm. F. 1882
Kittenger, Margaret M. 1885
Kittenger, Joseph 1884
Klinck, Christian 1877
Knowlton, C. B. 1884
Koons, Edward L. 1885
Koons, Henry 1884
Krumholz, Joseph 1884
Lacy, John T., Jr. 1873
Lamb, Henry 1837
Lang, Charles E. 1884
Langdon, Andrew 1885
Langdon, J. Lee 1885
Langdon, William C. 1885
Larkin, J. D. 1885
Larned, J. N. 1886
Larned, Sherwood J. 1884
Laughlin, John 1887
Lautz, F. C. M. 1884
Laverack, Miss Belle R. 1884
Laverack, George E. 1879
Laverack, Miss Gertrude 1884
Laverack, Howard C. 1884
Laverack, Miss Jennie 1884
Laverack, Miss Mary B. 1887
Laverack, William H. 1884
Lee, Miss Alice 1884
Lee, Franklin 1881
Lee, George W. 1870
Lee, H. W. 1884
Lee, James H. 1873
Lee, John R. 1857
Lee, R. Porter 1882
Lee, Shumway 1884
Lee, Stephen B. 1885
Lee, Walter C. 1884
Letchworth, Charlotte P. 1885
Letchworth, Josiah 1867
Letchworth, William P. 1860
Levi, Emanuel 1884
Levyn, S. 1884
Lewis, Alfred G. 1885
Lewis, Mrs. Charlotte B. 1885
Lewis, Mrs. Elizabeth S. 1885
Lewis, George A. 1885
Lewis, George H. 1885
Lewis George L. 1885
Lewis, Mrs. George L. 1884
Lewis, Joseph S. 1885
Lewis, Mrs. Kate B. 1885
Lewis, Loren L. 1884
Lewis, Loren L., Jr. 1884
Lewis, Miss M. Louise 1884
Lewis, Miss Mary 1885
Lewis. Thomas F. 1884
Linen, George G. 1884
Linen, John R. 1884
Locke, Franklin D. 1876
Locke, James 1875
Lockwood, D. N. 1884
Loomis, Charles K. 1884
Loomis, Mrs. Charles T. 1884
Loomis, Frank M. 1884
Loomis, Hobart B., Jr. 1884
Loomis, Maria B. 1884
Loomis, Thomas 1871
Love, Miss Maria 1884
Lovejoy, Walter L. 1888
Lovering, William 1867
Lyman, C. M. 1884
Lymburner, H. M. 1865
Lyon, Mrs. Henry L. 1874

Lyon, James S. 1870
Lyth, A. Lyon 1887
Lyth, Alfred 1887
Lyth, Byron 1887
Lyth, Francis 1887
Lyth, Gertrude 1887
Lyth, John 1887
Lyth, John, Jr. 1887
Lyth, John W. 1887
Lyth, Katie 1887
Lyth, Laura M. 1887
Lyth, Mary F. 1887
Lyth, Mary Isabella 1887
Lyth, Samuel E. 1887
Lyth, Thomas 1887
Lyth, William H. 1887
McArthur, J. N. 1884
McCredie, James 1868
McDougal, Sidney 1884
McFarlane, Miss Belle 1884
McKibben, Hugh 1884
McKibben, Isabel 1884
McKibben, John Jewett 1884
McKibben, Miss Mabel 1884
McKibben, Robert W. 1884
McMillian, Daniel H. 1883
McMillan, Morton 1884
McMillan, Ross 1884
McNaughton, P. B. 1884
McNeal, Norman B. 1863
McNeil, D. 1884
McShane, T. 1884
McWilliams, John J. 1887
Madison, James H. 1878
Mann, Matthew D. 1884
Manning, D. Van A. 1885
Manning, Franklin E. 1885
Manning, John B. 1885
Manning, John Oley 1885
Manning, William H. 1885
Marcus, L. 1884
Marshall, Charles D. 1884
Martin, Capt. John 1884
Mason, Seth L. 1873
Mathews, George B. 1880
Matthews, George E. 1884
Matthews, Harry N. 1885
Matthews, J. H. 1886

Meadows, Harold G. 1885
Meadows, William 1866
Meadows, William G. 1885
Melcher, Miss Alice V. 1886
Meldrum, Alex. 1886
Messert, Miss Harriet B. 1884
Metcalfe, Mrs. E. T. 1886
Metcalfe, Frank T. 1884
Metcalfe, George S. 1884
Metcalfe, James S. 1884
Michael, Edward 1884
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OF THE

FIFTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 24, 1890.

The President, Mr. DANIEL H. MCMILLAN, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and approved.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

The Library Committee begs to submit the following report:

The report of the Superintendent shows that the total number of books added to the Library during the past year is 2,630 volumes, and the total amount expended therefor $2,488.28. It is thus evident that the chief duty of the Library Committee has been to limit the expenditure for books to the smallest possible amount. The serious business problems which have confronted the Board of Managers have rendered impossible the appropriation of any larger fund for the purchase of books, but it is believed that the good judgment of the Superintendent has aided the committee in securing the most advantageous use of the small fund at its disposal.

It is a matter for sincere congratulation, however, that in spite of our scanty means and the small addition of new books, the circulation of the Library has increased by 2,464 volumes, the gain being largely in the circulation of books of Natural Science, Economics, History and general literature, while the circulation of books of fiction has declined one half of one per cent.

It is also worthy of notice that the use of the books in the Reading and Reference Rooms, of which no accurate account can be kept, has correspondingly increased, and the loss resulting from the free use of the open shelves of the "Study" has been inconsiderable. The wisdom of increasing the number of free readers' tickets for the benefit of the pupils in the public schools bas been justified by such excellent results that the Superintendent now recommends that the present number (400) be still further increased.

The care and preservation of the books in the Library is so well attended to by our able and zealous Superintendent, with his competent staff of assistants, that there will necessarily be but little routine work which the Library Committee can do until the arrival of the happy day when the affairs of the Association shall have been placed in such condition that there will be larger and more adequate sums available for the acquisition of new books.

HERBERT P. BISSELL,
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REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The details of all financial matters are so thoroughly covered in the report of the Treasurer that any additional statement from your Committee would hardly seem necessary. We will, however, refer briefly to a few subjects which may prove of more or less interest.

Upon the completion of the Hotel Building the Library found itself, after distributing funds derived from the sale of the second mortgage bonds, about $100,000 short of the necessary amount to meet final payment to contractors. As a temporary expedient, your Committee, on September 13th last, recommended that on October 1st the President and Treasurer be authorized to issue the notes of the Library at four months, with the privilege of two renewals for a like time each, to the contractors for the balance due them. The resolution was adopted, and notes to the amount of $93,449.36 were issued. In addition to this sum there still remains due contractors, whose accounts are not fully adjusted, about $10,500, leaving an unprovided debt on account of the erection of Library Building and Hotel, $103,950.

During the year the Library has received on account of Tracy legacy....	$9,500.00
And on account of judgment held by the Library against the estate of the late Le Grand Marvin.....	9,255.54
The receipts from membership dues were.....	3,293.25
From Life Membership.....	200.00
The rentals from the various societies occupying Library Building amount to.....	1,700.00
From the Court House adjoining Library Building.....	1,220.00
While that of the Hotel amounts to.....	52,100.00

The amount expended by the various committees on account of the Library proper have been as follows:

Law Committee.....	$ 75.00
Printing Committee.....	383.98
Rooms and Fixtures.....	1,437.88
Library Committee.....	9,212.16
Newspapers and Periodicals.....	673.68
Archives.....	8.00
	$11,790.70

R. H. PLUMB,
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S. M. CLEMENT,
PHILO D. BEARD,
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Finance Committee.

LAW COMMITTEE.

The Law Committee of the Buffalo Library respectfully report:

I.—In April, 1889, the Library was cited to show cause why it should not pay tax on the legacy from Francis W. Tracy, and proceedings instituted by the District Attorney in the Surrogate's Court. The matter was referred to this Committee, and the Chairman appeared and submitted a brief upon the subject, and decision was finally made and entered, relieving the Library from any tax in the matter.

II.—This Committee was directed to formulate the requisite provisions for membership in perpetuity, suggested by the President in his inaugural address. The Committee took the matter into consideration and formulated the necessary provisions, which were incorporated later on in the by-laws of the Library.

III.—In the matter of the Marvin litigation, judgment has been entered in which the representatives of the estate of Le Grand Marvin are enabled to proceed to sell the property and make distribution under the will. Two parcels of land apportioned the Le Grand Marvin estate have already been sold for $85,000. It is now simply a matter of time when the final settlement will be made, and the residue of the estate, after the payment of claims and legacies, turned over to the Library.

The following is a brief synopsis of the present status of the Le Grand Marvin matter:

Valuation of the real estate apportioned the Le Grand Marvin estate, about		$142,500
Amount of share of Le Grand Marvin estate in the hands of the Receiver and from rents on real estate, about		37,500
Total		$180,000
Out of this is to be paid legacies	$46,000	
Claims and judgments, about	32,177	
		78,177
Which will leave a residue estate of		$101.823

Out of which will be paid the charges of the attorneys who have carried on the litigation on behalf of Le Grand Marvin estate, and of Le Grand Marvin in his life time; also the cost of preparing and preserving the remains of the deceased, as required under his will, not exceeding $5,000.00; also the fees of the executors of the will.

IV.—In the matter of the legacy of Francis W. Tracy, the executor of the estate notified the Library that he was prepared to pay the same as soon as the question of the collateral inheritance tax was adjusted. It was arranged, however, by the executor retaining in his hands the amount of the tax, and the remainder of the legacy, $9,500, was paid over to the Library and a proper acknowledgment, signed by the executor of the $500, held subject to the decision of the Surrogate. The Surrogate having determined the question as above stated, that the Library was not subject to taxes under that law, the remainder of $500 will be paid by the executor to the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES A. POOLEY,
PORTER NORTON,
R. H. PLUMB,
SEWARD A. SIMONS.

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP.

The following figures give in detail the condition of our membership for the past year:

Number of annual members reported last annual meeting		2,178
Elected during 1889		437
		2,615
Resigned during the year	236	
Died	15	
Dropped for non-payment	483	734
Total of annual members now enrolled		1,881
Life members reported last year	1,221	
Elected during 1889	6	
	1,227	
Died during 1889	14	
		1,213
Honorary members		40
Total membership		3,134

Received for dues, $3,293.25.

From an examination of these figures it would appear that the Library has been losing ground, that the number of annual mem-

bers indicates a lessening of popular interest in the Library and of appreciation of its facilities.

It is true that we have lost over two hundred annual members from the total reported a year ago, but it will be remembered that in the year 1888-89 over nine hundred persons were made annual members and a large portion of this number was composed of those who did not desire to become and remain members for the advantages to be offered by the Library. They held the franchise above the literary features of our Association. We have this year dropped nearly five hundred persons for non-payment of dues. By going back to the years 1887 and 1888, we find the true basis of comparison:

The annual membership in 1886-7 was 1,516.
" " " " 1887-8 " 1,614.
" " " " 1889-90 " 1,881.

We have therefore steadily gained in genuine membership rather than lost.

During the past year an important change was made in our by-laws, creating what are denominated "Memberships in Perpetuity." The following sections explain this phrase:

SEC. 3. *Memberships in Perpetuity.* I.—Any person who shall pay to the corporation the sum of one hundred dollars and be elected a Member in Perpetuity by the Board of Managers shall be entitled to membership in perpetuity in the Buffalo Library.

II.—Any person who is now, or may hereafter become, a life member, and who shall pay the additional sum of fifty dollars, shall be entitled to membership in perpetuity.

III.—The person so entitled to membership in perpetuity shall receive a certificate of such membership signed by the President and Recording Secretary, and shall during his life be entitled to all privileges of life membership as provided in these by-laws, and he may bequeath the said membership to any one of his heirs-at-law, or next of kin.

IV.—Should such member die intestate, then such membership shall pass to, and become the property of the eldest of his children not possessing a certificate of membership in perpetuity, or if no children, then to the eldest of his next of kin not possessing such certificate.

V.—All transferees of such membership by bequest or by operation of the provisions of Subdivision IV, above, shall possess all the rights and be subject to the restrictions of persons originally entitled to such membership, upon presentation of the certificate held by the person last owning such membership and proof of ownership in the person presenting the same, and upon the proper transfer thereof on the books of the Buffalo Library.

VI.—All funds received from memberships in perpetuity and life memberships shall be paid into the Library Fund.

It is to this new class that we look for material assistance to counterbalance the losses in our life membership, which is shrinking each year. The Library needs the revenue that ought to come from this new opportunity to aid it, and we confidently expect that our ever generous citizens will find in it a way to aid the Library without being classed as subscribers to its bond or donors to its treasury.

Respectfully submitted,

SEWARD A. SIMONS,
EDWARD S. HAWLEY,
LAURENCE O. ALLEN.

ANNUAL REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BY-LAWS.

The Committee on By-Laws respectfully reports:

That your Committee, at the beginning of their term of service last year, found that the by-laws under which the affairs of the Library were being managed had been adopted in the year 1882, long before the Legislature had passed the Act which now serves as our charter, and that no changes had been made therein to adapt them to the uses of the corporation, as it now exists.

Your Committee, therefore, made a careful revision of the by-laws, making such changes therein as was necessary to conform them to the present charter, and further alterations and additions were made which, it is hoped, will increase their usefulness. These were then submitted to the Board of Directors, who in executive commit-

tee, discussed the same in detail, and after very careful consideration adopted them as they now appear in the printed copies, which are now ready for distribution.

Respectfully submitted

PORTER NORTON,
CHARLES A. POOLEY,
FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
PHILO D. BEARD,
Committee.

Buffalo, February 24, 1890.

LECTURE COMMITTEE.

Your Committee on Lectures respectfully reports:

That during the past year no lectures were undertaken because the financial condition of the Library would not warrant the risk of loss.

Respectfully submitted,

PHILO D. BEARD,
RALPH H. PLUMB,
LAURENCE O. ALLEN,

February 24, 1890.

COMMITTEE ON DONATIONS.

Your Committee respectfully beg to report that there has been given to the Library during the year 669 volumes of books and 1207 pamphlets, besides sundry periodicals and other gifts, a full list of which we have prepared for the files.

There are sundry gifts included in the above which we think deserving of special mention, and we have separated them from the others and recommend that they be published, as we have tabulated them in our annual report.

We notice a gratifying increase in the number of donations, and take this opportunity to express the thanks of the Committee to the several donors.

Respectfully,

E. S. HAWLEY, *Chairman*,
F. F. WILLIAMS,
PORTER NORTON.

The gifts deserving special mention, perhaps, are the following: From Elmore H. Walker, late statistician of the N. Y. Produce Exchange and former commercial editor of the Buffalo *Express*, ninety-three volumes of books and 595 pamphlets, mostly commercial and statistical. From the executor of the estate of the late Le Grand Marvin, 174 volumes, the greater part of which are added to the duplicates of the library. Mr. T. Guilford Smith, a valuable atlas of the Survey of New Jersey, seven volumes of books and twenty-one pamphlets. From the N. Y. Civil Service Reform Association, three volumes of books and fifty-six pamphlets. Mrs. Howe, a large and valuable collection of autograph letters, addressed to the late General Barry by distinguished military and naval officers and statesmen, during the war of the rebellion. Walter L. Brown, a rubbing of the epitaph on Shakespeare's gravestone, framed, with accompanying engravings. Valuable pamphlets from Rev. W. M. Jones, and many official publications of importance from John Charlton, Esq., of the Canadian Parliament; from Hon. John M. Farquhar, Hon. Leroy Andrus, Hon. Jonathan Scoville, the Department of the Interior and the Department of State at Washington and the Secretary of State at Albany.

COMMITTEE ON NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

Your Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals would respectfully report that they have expended during the past year the sum of $673.18, for which we have on file:

Daily Newspapers		35
Weeklies		47
Fortnightlies		4
Monthlies		65
Bi-monthlies		1
Quarterlies		19
Half Yearlies		1
Occasionals		10
Total		182
Acquired by subscription	145	
" " gift	37	
	182	

Of this number 114 have been bound for preservation. The remainder are preserved for a year and then disposed of.

Respectfully submitted, SEWARD A. SIMONS,
S. M. CLEMENT, JR.

REPORT OF PRINTING COMMITTEE.

To the Buffalo Library :

The Committee on Printing respectfully report that there has been expended for printing during the past year the sum of $421.48. This includes the cost of printing the annual report, the "Lists of Additions to the Library," or "Supplements to the Finding List," as they are often called.

Dated February 24, 1890.

FRANK F. WILLIAMS, *Chairman*,
E. S. HAWLEY,
WORTHINGTON C. MINER.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

NATHANIEL ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

By Balance from last Report	$1,871.38
RECEIPTS.	
Dues	3,293.25
Fines	648.08
Finding Lists Sold	24.10
Rent of Books	114.98
Rent of Periodicals	2.46
Sundry Collections	18.49
Donation	2.00
Le Grand Marvin Judgment	9,255.54
Sale of waste paper	12.78
Loans from Library Fund	7,500.00
Interest on Bank Account	166.00
Interest on Bond and Mortgage	343 72
Interest on Buffalo Library Notes	426.17
Interest on Bond and Mortgage	87.94
Interest on three Buffalo City Water Bonds	210.00
Interest on City Hall Bond	350.00
Interest on 77 Y. M. A. Bonds	192.50
	$24,738.77
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Salaries	$6,019.46
Sundry Library Expenses	39.64
Supplement to Finding Lists	37.50
Binding Books, etc	627.28

Books	$2,488.28
Printing	383.98
Newspapers and Periodicals	673.68
Telephone	57.50
Water	53.00
Ice	8.30
Gas	175.19
Electric Light	765.00
Sundry Room Expenses	378.89
Expenses Law Committee	75 00
Expenses Archives Committee	8.00
130 Y. M. A. Bonds at $50 each	6,500.00
To Treasurer Building Fund	4,000.00
Interest on Buffalo Library Notes	426.17
Balance	2,021.90
	$24,738.77

LIBRARY FUND.

1 City and County Hall Bond, 7 per cent	$ 5,000.00
Notes Buffalo Library, due Dec. 1, 1889, 6 per cent	2,500.00
Notes Buffalo Library, due Dec. 1, 1889, 6 per cent	5,000.00
Notes Buffalo Library, due Dec. 1, 1889, 6 per cent	10,000.00
Cash	9,383 74
	$31,883.74

Respectfully submitted,
N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

BUFFALO, February 20, 1890. S. M. CLEMENT, JR., *Auditor.*

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in Account with* REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONERS OF THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

Balance from J. L. Williams, Treasurer	$11,889.51
Received Interest Bank Account	82.85
Received Interest C. J. Williams mortgage	7.50
Received From—	
Treasurer Buffalo Library	10,000.00
Rents Lecture Room	232.00
Clergy House	1.220.00
Fine Arts Academy	900.00
Historical Society	500.00
Society of Natural Sciences	200.00
361 Main Street	313.32
361 Main Street	700.00

363 Main Street	$ 1,449.98
367 Main Street	1,200.00
369 Main Street	2,099.98
Iroquois Hotel	18,083.35
	$48,878.49

Paid, Coupons Y. M. A. Bonds	$ 644.00
Coupons Buffalo Library Bonds	8,137.50
Interest on Sundry Notes	1,176.83
Interest on Buffalo Savings Bank Mortgage	19,838.19
C. J. Williams, Mortgage	125.00
Repairs	1,197.10
Supplies	1,998.75
Insurances and Taxes	320.80
Salaries, Engineer, Janitor, etc	1,690.11
Balance	13,750.21
	$48,878.49

Respectfully submitted,

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

BUFFALO, February 20, 1890. S. M. CLEMENT, JR., *Auditor.*

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY BUILDING FUND.

By Buffalo Savings Bank Mortgage Account	$375,000.00
Buffalo Library 2d Mortgage Bonds	241,000.00
Bills Payable	93,449.36
Interest Account	3,494.22
From Treasurer Buffalo Library	4,000.00
	$716,943.58

Paid to H. P. Brown	$ 150.00
A. C. Essenwein	4.75
E. Bach	15.83
E. L. Nichols	12.00
Jesse W. Smith	107.95
C. E. Emery	128.75
Edw. E. Magovern	231.75
William Paul Gerhardt	1,105.83
German B. C. Co	15.00
Meyer S. Col'td	3.00
Drenco Co	375.85

Paid to—	
Pittsburgh Testing Lab	206.16
Adv. Hotel Register	45.00
Stationery, Postage, etc	2.20
Citizens' Gas Co	181.27
Coal, Zipp	535.50
Coal, Smith	9.60
Coal, Brinker & Jones	1,346.84
Granolithic Paving Co	1,742.56
Brady & Maltby	1,126.89
D. F. Rust	628.15
Machwirth Bros	563.96
F. B. Jones & Co	1,786.00
Weed & Co	4,294.25
Nason & Hay	117.87
Falk M'f'g Co	340.00
Beals & Brown	22.89
Scheeler & Sons	87.00
Lee, Holland & Co	1,641.60
Vacuum Oil Co	57.25
Henry Garono	45.72
D. Minnehan	31.00
Jewett M'f'g Co	888 50
Noye M'f'g Co	523.84
J. E. Beckman, Engineer	440.70
Malcolm & Wolsley	12,100.00
C. L. W. Eidlitz	15,000.00
J. Reimann	96,315.77
Irlbacker & Davis	71,579.36
Perth Amboy Terra Cotta Co	26,730.00
H. C. Harrower	110,602.46
Charles Berrick	325,442.64
Otis Bros	10,000.00
Chretien Bros	13,064.64
Bramhall, Dean & Co	1,988.00
U. S. Elec. Lt. & P. Co	10,000.00
W. H. Glenny, Sons & Co	4,000.00
Balance	1,303.25
	$716,943.58

Respectfully submitted,

BUFFALO, February 17, 1890. N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer.*

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

BUFFALO, Feb. 20, 1890. S. M. CLEMENT, JR., *Auditor.*

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

To the Curators of the Library and Members of the Library Committee :

The history of the Library during the past year has been eventful in nothing but its struggle, with limited means, to meet an increasing public demand for books. The purchases of the year have been kept within the same narrow bounds that were imposed upon us last year, by no means covering justly the current literature of the day, and adding almost nothing to the older literature, of which we need so much in many of the most important departments of letters and knowledge. Our total acquisitions for the year have been 2,630 volumes of books and 956 pamphlets. Of the books, 534 have come to us by gift, 206 by the binding of periodicals, and 1,890 have been bought; 291 replace older copies of books worn out or lost. In the gifts here mentioned, I do not include books and pamphlets which have been added to our store of duplicates, held for sale and exchange, but only such as have gone into the catalogues of the Library

The expenditure for books purchased has been $2,488.28, about the same sum as last year, and greatly under the average annual book-fund which the Library has been expending of late years. In some departments of the Library, and especially in those which embrace the arts and the different fields of technical science, we are falling seriously behind even the former measure of our resources, which were never what they need to be.

But, nothwithstanding the slenderness of the offering of new books to our readers, the circulation of the Library increases considerably, and the consultation of books in its reading room extends still more largely. The circulation of the year has been 102,600 volumes, which is a gain of 2,464 volumes over the preceding year. The quality of reading, moreover, shows a continuous slow improvement, distinctly marked, though not strikingly so. Deducting juvenile literature, the proportion of fiction in the circulation of the past year has been .607 of the whole, against .626 the year before, being a decline of nearly 2 per cent. In juvenile fiction, however, there has been an advance from .1044 to .1183; so that the total percentage of fiction in our last year's circulation is about .725

against .73, being a decline of one-half of one per cent. The gain has been chiefly in natural science, economics, history and general literature.

Recorded by months and classified, the circulation of the year is shown in the following table:

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1890.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy	76	103	65	56	74	50	44	61	68	62	50	62	772	.0075
Religion	139	110	115	107	98	82	74	88	113	140	91	100	1,257	.0123
Social Science	116	142	103	112	79	65	85	127	187	254	174	162	1,606	.0157
Language	10	15	13	22	12	16	6	11	18	22	16	14	175	.0017
Natural Science	154	177	150	114	116	108	93	133	192	231	116	164	1,248	.0171
Useful Arts	96	121	97	85	71	50	52	81	108	87	80	101	1,029	.0100
Fine Arts	161	197	160	147	112	94	109	113	141	152	142	178	1,706	.0166
Gen'l Literature	570	772	697	643	487	493	452	486	740	789	660	822	7,611	.0742
Juvenile Ficti'n	1,056	1,369	1,138	1,078	925	1,027	755	696	1,089	1,043	897	1,069	12,141	.1183
Fiction	5,094	6,766	5,568	5,256	5,087	5,167	5,043	4,616	5 130	5,319	4,008	5,245	62.229	.6072
Travel	343	411	390	287	251	233	228	233	307	381	339	394	3,797	.0370
Biography	393	441	317	285	201	149	128	183	312	359	268	379	3.415	.0332
History	489	523	370	311	225	198	218	282	603	654	561	610	5,044	.0492
Totals	8,697	11,147	9,183	8,503	7,738	7,732	7,287	7,109	9,009	9,493	7,402	9,300	102,600	1.000

The use of books in the Library Reading Rooms grows more rapidly than the circulation of books for home use. To a very large extent, the wants of those who come to "The Study" are satisfied by the cyclopedias, dictionaries, year-books, hand-books, statistical works, anthologies, etc., about 1,000 volumes in number, which are placed there on open shelves, and to which readers may help themselves. No account of the use of these books is kept, but it cannot be less than five times as great as the use of other books brought to "The Study" on call, which numbered last year 18,183 volumes. Altogether, the consultation of books in the building has come to be quite as extensive, I think, as the circulation of books; whereas, only a few years ago, it seemed to exercise rather a minor function of the Library.

With pleasure I am able to say that our losses from the freely exposed books in "The Study" have been slight this last year, numbering only five volumes, and none of those very valuable. The losses of the previous year rose to twenty-four volumes, but they were mostly due, I am confident, to some single thief, whose depredations were carried on during a single month. Of other books, not novels, our annual checking on the first of January showed nineteen volumes which are not yet accounted for.

The Sunday opening of the Library is a continued success. The number of readers is increasingly large, and exceeds sometimes the seating capacity of our reading-rooms. As heretofore, the visitors on Sunday are, to a great extent, people not seen in the Library on other days. The most perfect order is always preserved.

The giving of readers' tickets to pupils in the public schools is also being happily justified by results. More interest in the matter is being shown by teachers, who are generally co-operating more heartily with the Library in an endeavor to guide the children who receive the tickets to the most profitable use of them, and to make these young readers acquainted with good books. The number of school tickets now issued is 400, and I think it might be advantageously increased.

With the customary appendix of tabular statistics, this report for the year is respectfully submitted.

J. N. LARNED,
Superintendent

APPENDIX.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography	45	594	1,021
General Cyclopedias	13	270	
General Periodicals	23	1,253	12
Polygraphy, etc	7	236	1
Philosophy	47	1,199	150
Religion	127	4,759	255
Law, Politics and Political Economy	215	5,062	861
Education	31	635	443
Commerce	81	781	620
Statistics	19	446	42
Other Social Subjects	16	704	186

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlet.
Philology	18	482	24
Natural Science	130	3,445	214
Useful Arts	94	3,268	429
Fine Arts	55	2,108	81
Literary Periodicals	99	3,293	
English Poetry Criticism, etc	144	4,224	64
English Prose Fiction	543	9,464	
German Poetry, etc	9	490	
German Prose Fiction	52	684	
French Poetry, etc	29	700	10
French Prose Fiction	34	924	
Italian Literature	1	150	2
Spanish Literature	1	83	
Greek and Latin Literature	7	390	1
Other Literature	8	379	3
Geography and Travel	101	4,472	117
Biography	152	4,714	171
History: American	143	2,430	323
History: Other Countries	115	4,124	80
Local History and Literature	65	957	1,724
		62,720	6,834
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use		843	
Total		63,563	

Added during the year:

	Volumes.
By purchase	1,890
By gift	534
By binding periodicals	206
	2,630
	Volumes.
Books worn out and condemned	245
Books lost and paid for	16
	261
Net additions	2,369
Pamphlets	956

Cost of books purchased	$2,488.28
Paid for binding	627.28

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

Since the last report of the Board was made, the building of the Hotel Iroquois has been finished, and its tenants have been placed in possession. The hotel was opened to the public last August, and

has given evident satisfaction to lessees and guests. In convenience of plan, in thoroughness of fire-proof construction, in tastefulness of finish throughout, and in completeness and perfection of all appointments, the building ranks unquestionably among the first of its kind in the country. Its possession is to be regarded by the members of the Library with just pride, which is shared by the city at large; and there seems to be no doubt that both the Library and the city will be lastingly benefited by the enterprise that has erected it. The Library has incurred a debt in the undertaking which burdens it heavily, and which may reasonably give occasion for no small anxiety; but we confidently expect that it will be helped in the extinguishing of this debt by gifts and bequests from public-spirited citizens, and be placed at ease with it in no very long time.

The report of the treasurer shows that there has been paid on account of the hotel building the sum of $715,640.33. Of unadjusted accounts there now remains unpaid about $11,000. The total cost of the building may be stated in round numbers at $726,000.

The leasing of the hotel to Messrs. Woolley & Gerrans was reported a year ago. The first lease to those gentlemen covered all that part of the building which had been designed for the hotel in its original plan, the yearly rental being $41,000, and the lessees undertaking additionally to supply the Library with electric light, by the operation of a plant at the hotel for both buildings. Messrs. Woolley & Gerrans, by a second lease, have also taken and added to the hotel premises a part of the southerly store in the building, at its Washington street end, for which they pay a yearly rental of $2,400.

The Main street end of the same store is leased to Adelaide M. K. Baldwin for five years from May 1, 1889, the yearly rental being $2,100 until May 1, 1891, and $2,400 for the remainder of the term.

The store next northward is leased to George D. Barr for five years from May 1, 1889, at $2,000 per annum. A sky-lighted room at the rear of the store, occupied by Mr. Barr, is leased for the same term to William Scott, florist, for $800.

The adjoining store is under lease, for the purpose of a barber shop, to Daniel Minnehan, for the same term of five years, from May 1, 1889, the yearly rental being $1,800.

The store at the corner of Main and Eagle streets is leased and occupied by Frank L. Powell, the term of lease being the same as above, and the yearly rental $3,000 after the first year, during which it is $2,800.

The Clergy-house, at the corner of Clinton and Ellicott streets, is still under lease to St. John's church at $1,220, inclusive of steam heating.

The three societies which are occupants of part of the Library building pay an annual rent, to cover cost of heating, repairs, etc., as follows: Fine Arts Academy, $600; Historical Society, $500; Society of Natural Sciences, $500.

The financial state of affairs under the control of the Board is detailed in the report of the Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

EDMUND HAYES, *Chairman.*
N. ROCHESTER.
DANIEL H. McMILLAN, *Member ex-officio.*

INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed inspectors for the election of officers and directors of the Buffalo Library, held in the Library Building on Tuesday, the 11th day of February, A. D., 1890, do hereby certify that at the said election the following named persons received severally the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

Ralph H. Plumb for president	270
Philo D. Beard for president	313
Nathaniel Rochester for treasurer	583
Carl T. Chester for curator	260
Porter Norton for curator	326
George P. Sawyer for director	232
Henry M. Watson for director	230
John N. Scatcherd for director	217
George S. Gatchell for director	289
Arthur D. Bissell for director	362
James R. Smith for director	282
Henry T. Ramsdell for director	380
William H. Glenny for director	279
Ansley Wilcox for real estate commissioner	171
George J. Sicard for real estate commissioner	191

And we do further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President..... PHILO D. BEARD.
Treasurer..... NATHANIEL ROCHESTER.
Curator..... PORTER NORTON.
Directors..... ARTHUR D. BISSELL, GEORGE S. GATCHELL, HENRY T. RAMSDELL, JAMES R. SMITH.
Real Estate Commissioner.....GEORGE J. SICARD.
P. P. BURTIS, WM. K. ALLEN, HENRY BULL, *Inspectors.*

ADDRESS OF DANIEL H. McMILLAN, THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

Members of the Buffalo Library:

The fiftieth President of the Buffalo Library has been elected, and while it does not mark our semi-centennial, it terminates the seven most momentous and eventful years in our history, and marks an era in the life of the Association. The dream for years of the members and patrons of the Buffalo Library was the ideal structure in which we meet to-night, where its vast literary treasures —the accumulation of years, and of the untiring zeal and energy of its early members—could be safely housed and made available.

But the gladdening echoes of the dedication ceremonies of this palatial structure had scarcely died away before new difficulties were encountered in the loss by fire of the only revenue-producing property of the Association. The burning of the Richmond seemed an irreparable loss. Staggering as we were under the burden of a heavy debt measured by at least $250,000, it was, indeed, no trifling matter to have a revenue of $30,000 per annum wiped from existence, and nothing left us save an unproductive ruin. It was an appalling situation; weaker hearts would have failed. With the sentiment of all in our favor the task was surrounded with difficulties, but when opposing elements intervened, success seemed

most hopeless. But few of the members know the vicissitudes of e weeks which followed the conflagration, which was indeed a rning point in the history of the Buffalo Library, whether it ould take its place among the great libraries of the country, or ether it should creep along with the almost imperceptible owth of its first 40 years of existence. The smoke had not ased to rise from the ruins of the Richmond ere schemes were t on foot by speculative syndicates to purchase the premises in estion, and to exert, if necessary, the influence to authorize their le. Had the property been sold and the proceeds applied in uidation of the debt, the Library would to-day have a fund not exceed $150,000, producing a revenue less than the annual ex- nse of maintenance, without probable increase in the future. It s, indeed, a critical period when the turn of a hand could have oduced such unfortunate results; but good judgment and wise unsel prevailed, and although the task seemed almost insur- ountable, yet from the ruins of the St. James and the Richmond s arisen, like the spirit of the age, that grand and princely struc- re, that chief of all hostelries, The Iroquois. What an imposing ucture it is—its massive walls and iron columns, indicating its fety and stability—its tesselated floors and oaken garnished oms, its healthfulness and hospitality—it is indeed the pride of r city. Its popularity and success are assured to an extent un- ualed in the first years of its existence by that of any other hotel roughout the country. The moral and active support of the embers of the Association, who include within their numbers hun- eds of the leading citizens of Buffalo, has had its effect. This s been in the first instance a guarantee to the stranger of gen- ous and fair treatment, but when once the welcome and comforts this hostelry, under its present management, have been tested, ch patron can truly say with Goldsmith:

> "Blest be that spot where cheerful guests retire,
> And every stranger finds a ready chair."

with our own lamented Longfellow:

> "The atmosphere breathes rest and comfort,
> And the many chambers seem full of welcomes."

Quietly opened on the third day of August, 1889, the Iroquois s since been a solace and comfort to its patrons, and a financial

success to its managers as well as to the Association. May its success not only continue, but increase until in the fullness of our return therefrom we shall neither ask favor nor pay usance.

Indeed the triumphs of the Association are to-day far beyond the most sanguine hope of its enthusiastic founders. Possessed of a magnificent library building, spacious, commodious, with elegant appointments, a large and well selected library, a grand fire-proof hotel, fully equipped, well located and under successful management, producing a revenue largely in excess of the interest account and cost of maintenance, what more can we ask? Truly indeed can it be said that the day dream of the managers during the past seven years is at hand. The promised land of full competence is in view. The success of the Buffalo Library as a first-class institution is assured. It takes its place, as of right, among the great institutions of our country.

During the past year the recommendations made to the Board of Managers in the inaugural address of the President have been substantially put in force.

Printed notices have been placed in each of the public schools of the city, setting forth that the privileges of the Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library are free to all; that the Library is open on Sunday from one to six P. M., and that all are welcome.

The Library and public schools have thus been brought into a more intimate relationship, and scholar and teacher are no longer in doubt as to their status as visitors in the Library Building.

In accordance with the recommendation, the by-laws have been thoroughly revised and made to conform to the present charter. The failure to procure the approval of the Governor to the enactment regulating the qualification of those entitled to vote at the annual election has been supplemented by a provision in the by-laws by which no person shall be entitled to vote at the annual election who shall not have been a member thirty days previous to such election. It is to be hoped that this by-law will be reverenced in the future more than its predecessor of like tenor, adopted in 1871, which under the reviser's hand was relegated to the past in less than half a decade after its adoption.

The suggestion that membership in perpetuity should be estab-
shed has also been carried out, by which any person who shall pay
) the Association the sum of $100, or any life member who shall
ay an additional sum of $50 shall be entitled to membership in
erpetuity—a continuing membership passing to one's heirs at law
r next of kin forever.

In this connection it is suggested that of the first series of certifi-
ates of membership in perpetuity offered to the public the prefer-
nce be given to the older members, who in trial and sore tribula-
on labored in the upbuilding of this great institution. As a
emento it will be prized by generations yet unborn of the blood
f these men, and it would be eminently appropriate and fitting to
ccord them this privilege as a mark of appreciation and respect on
e part of the Association.

The recommendation that the triangular space at the head of
roadway, adjoining the Library Building should, by legislative act,
e placed under the control and management of the Park Commis-
oners for ornamental park purposes was approved and adopted
y the board of managers, and a special committee appointed for
e purpose of procuring the necessary enactments at the present
ssion of the Legislature. It is to be hoped that no unnecessary
elay will prevent the early and proper embellishment with grass
d shrubs of this most disagreeable and unsightly spot in its
esent use.

It is to be regretted that the Curators, to whom was referred with
ower the recommendation to complete the finding list by the pub-
cation of the last part, deemed the purchase of new fiction more
dvantageous than affording facilities to utilize the books on hand;
least we may be permitted to so conclude, as the purchase of fic-
on continued while the completion of the finding list was delayed
the score of economy. One is reminded of the book enthusiast
ho packed his books in barrels, satisfied with possession, but
oughtless of availability. Better to have a few books and know
hereof they treat and where they may be found, than to revel in
ountains of print. May we not hope that the Curators will exer-
se an independent discretion in this matter and recommend the
mpletion of the finding list, and leave with the board of mana-
rs, where it properly belongs, the question of economy in expen-

ditures. Surely the sum of $800, which will cover the expense of additional help and the cost of printing, is no great sum when we consider the advantages in making the expenditures already incurred on Parts I and II more available, and in having a complete and properly arranged catalogue of everything contained in the Library at the end of its first fifty years.

A committee appointed under direction of the board of managers has in charge the recommendation of municipal aid. The favorable manner in which this subject has been considered by the city officials leads me to the conclusion that the municipality will not be remiss in its duty toward the Library in this behalf.

The recent action of the City of Pittsburg in promptly obligating itself to pay annually the sum of $40,000 for the maintenance of a public library to be erected through the munificence of her leading citizen, Andrew Carnegie, is most commendable, and will have a stimulating influence upon the action of our own and other cities throughout the country.

The present plan of funding the debt of the Association as soon as the outstanding bonds can be retired, by the execution of a single mortgage upon the hotel and library property sufficient to cover the entire indebtednes at such reasonably low rate of interest as can be secured on a loan of this magnitude for a long term, is commended to the consideration of the present management. As soon as a plan for the funding of the debt has been perfected, provision should be made for a sinking fund, set apart from the revenues of the Association, after providing for the interest account and maintenance, which should be jealously guarded by legislative enactment if necessary, so that the debt of the Association shall be reduced from year to year in a substantial amount, thus hastening the time when the entire indebtedness will be liquidated, and the Association and the citizens may enjoy the benefits and privileges to be derived from our then princely income.

During the past year public attention has been called by the press of the city to the location of the new building for the Grosvenor Library, and the adaptability of the Clergy House site has been spoken of in this connection. This Association has been urged to take some action looking to a reasonable proposition on its part in accordance with this expressed sentiment of the people. It has

n urged in some quarters that it would be unwise for us at this e to part with any of our property, thereby reducing the value the security we could offer as the basis of our funding scheme, t this seems at once a narrow and selfish view. The manage- nt of the Library should be on a broad and elevated plane, not on the theory that the Library is the property of the Association, t that the management and the members are simply trustees for e people. If, on the one hand, business principles should obtain, s well not to forget our duty to the public on the other. In view the arguments urged by the press in its favor, one can hardly estion the great advantages which would inure to the community the location and erection of the Grosvenor Library on the Clergy ouse lot, and while we should properly leave this question to the osvenor trustees, who are acting for and are solely accountable the public, it would at the same time be eminently proper for e Buffalo Library to consider this subject, and in compliance with almost universal sentiment, make the most reasonable offer con- tent with its own financial condition, which in the judgment of e management can be made of the Clergy House lot as a site for new reference library. In view of the munificence of our citi- ns toward the Buffalo Library on various occasions in the past, can ill afford to ignore the expressed wish of the people in this rticular upon the ground that it may be against the strict bus- ss interests of the Library. The people of Buffalo thoroughly preciate the advantages to be derived by the City from both the brary and Hotel, and although no contingency of danger can be eseen, it is sincerely believed they will never permit harm to me to the Buffalo Library. In all these circumstances I most rtily recommend that by proper concurrent resolution the Clergy ouse lot be offered by the Buffalo Library to the Grosvenor Li- ry at a nominal sum for a building site. One condition of the nt should be that a library structure should be erected on the within a reasonable time, at a cost of not less than $100,000, and t in it should be kept the Grosvenor Library. It should be ther provided that if at any time after the expiration of twenty- e years the Grosvenor Library desires to remove to any other rt of the city, the Buffalo Library will take a reconveyance of the operty, repay the nominal purchase price and such additional

sum as may be agreed upon, or shall be fixed by arbitration as the then value of the building. This proposition made, the question of acceptance may be left where it properly belongs, to the sound judgment and discretion of the Grosvenor trustees. Let us discharge our duty to the public in this behalf and thereby merit in the future, as in the past, its approval.

A further suggestion to the board of managers is that of extending the powers and duties of the superintendent to the immediate charge under their direction of the property and affairs of the Association. This will be in accordance with the usual policy of management in public institutions. Boards of managers are continually changing, superintendents are apt to be continued over a long period of years, thus becoming familiar with the property and policy of its management, and able to devote such attention as only one compensated especially for his services can give. I most thoroughly believe that an extension of the duties and responsibilities of the superintendent and the placing entirely in his hands, subject only to the sanction of the board of managers, the control of all the affairs of the Association, would inure to its great benefit, by systematizing and extending the policy, in concentrating all efforts to the effectual accomplishment of needed improvements, in making the entire institution subservient to improved methods in library work, and in keeping the institution abreast of the times, which can best be done by the devotion of the energies and thoughts of one person clothed with general powers. I have no doubt that the present superintendent, if relieved from the embarassment of trenching upon the duties of the board of managers by having the entire control of affairs placed in his hands, would be equal to the change, and would give to the Library and its interests a more complete and thorough management than under the present system. This suggestion is worthy of consideration, as it is but a question of time when its adoption will be imperative.

It is suggested to the management that the services of an attendant be procured at the earliest practicable day, who has had the advantages of instruction in one of the training schools for library work, and that such attendant be detailed especially to aid all patrons of the Library who may desire aid, in making a proper and profitable selection of books, in selecting and mapping out short

urses of reading, in stimulating work in new avenues of study—
leed in prescribing for those who desire mental food but cannot
tinguish between the false and the true, nor yet estimate the
ength or quality of the books their minds are susceptible of
ofitably perusing. The sick man behind the apothecary's counter
ting of this and that, seeking a cure for his ailment without
owledge of the potency or virulence of the drug he handles, with-
t physician's prescription or apothecary's aid, is a fair sample of
thods which to-day obtain in the great majority of libraries. To
e who knows the way the guide post is of but little use, but to the
anger in the labyrinth of books the trained guide points the way
light.

The reports of the board of real estate, the treasurer and the sev-
l standing committees of the board of managers are so full and
mplete that it has been deemed unnecessary for the President to
er to them or to the several subjects to which they specifically
ate.

In retiring from connection with the management of this Associ-
on (which has been continuous through the past seven years, be-
ning in 1883 with the inauguration of the movement which led
the erection of the Library, and ended in 1890 with the comple-
n and rental of the Iroquois) I beg to extend to all of my asso-
tes most hearty congratulations upon the work accomplished.

The experience has been one of unfeigned pleasure, and the sat-
action attending the work is found in the conscious pride of each
lividual in having been selected to serve the Association and the
blic in these great and successful undertakings.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

embers of the Buffalo Library:

With a full sense of the responsibilities and appreciation of
e honor conferred by my election to the Presidency of this
nd institution, I assume the duties of the office with the hope
t this administration at its close will meet your approval.

As the able and interesting address of the retiring President,
orts of the Treasurer, the Real Estate Commissioners and other
nmittees give full information regarding the affairs of the Library,

my remarks will be brief, for I have no policy to define and no recommendations to offer.

The Buffalo Library is now, thanks to our public spirited citizens and the enterprising gentlemen of the preceding administrations, the possessor of two magnificent buildings, both now completed, and looked upon by all with pride and admiration. In connection with the erection of the Hotel there remains, as is shown by the reports of the Finance Committee and the Treasurer, a large floating debt, which the incoming administration is expected to place in permanent shape. I pledge an earnest effort on the part of the Board of Managers to fund this floating debt, so that, after providing for a sinking fund, which will necessarily be small, will leave an income for the use of the Library proper that will materially increase its efficiency. With this end in view, I ask of each and every member of the Board, hearty and earnest co-operation in advancing the various interests of our noble Library.

I submit, in closing, the following suggestions and ask for them your consideration. As is well known, each year the nominating committee, has a most difficult task to find eligible persons who will consent to be candidates for the Presidency. Would it not be desirable, therefore, to have the act of incorporation so amended as to provide for a Board of Managers, consisting of twenty-one members, seven to be elected each year, to hold office for three years, and they to elect from their number, in addition to those now chosen by the Board, a President, Treasurer, three Real Estate Commissioners and three Curators.

There has been, and undoubtedly will be, little difficulty in getting candidates for Managers. Men who would refuse to be candidates for the Presidency, under existing conditions, would hardly refuse the Presidency, if chosen by a Board of which they are part.

Then the nominating committee might be appointed at least one month prior to the annual election, thus giving ample time to satisfactorily make up the tickets, to be voted for.

And, finally, if at the annual meetings a reception were to be held, a band of music engaged, and the entire Library building thrown open to the members and the public, would not this popularize the Library and considerably increase our membership?

PHILO D. BEARD.

President Beard then announced the Standing Committees for the ensuing year as follows:

Library—Hollister, Hoyt, Norton, Altman, Plumb.
Finance—Plumb, Altman, Clement, Bissell, Rochester, *ex-officio.*
Laws—Simons, Plumb, Smith, Miner.
Membership—Altman, Simons, Hawley, Ramsdell, Gatchell.
By-Laws—Miner, Simons, Hawley, Smith.
Lectures—Gatchell, Bissell.
Donations—Smith, Gatchell, Clement.
Newspapers and Periodicals—Bissell, Smith, Miner.
Rooms and Fixtures—Hawley, Clement, Ramsdell.
Printing—Clement, Altman, Allen, *ex-officio.*
Archives—Hawley, Miner.
Auditor—H. T. Ramsdell.

The meeting then adjourned.

LAURENCE O. ALLEN,
Recording Secretary.

REGULATIONS OF THE LIBRARY.

I. The Library will be open for the delivery and reception of books from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M., daily, excepting such days as the Board may direct.

II. Members shall be entitled to draw two books from the Library, but only upon presentation of their card of membership.

III. No book can be retained from the Library longer than two weeks.

IV. Members retaining books from the Library beyond the time specified in the regulations, shall forfeit and pay a fine of three cents per day on every book so retained.

V. Any member who shall deface, or in any way injure any book belonging to the Library, shall forfeit and pay such sum as the Librarian shall assess therefor.

VI. No member will be permitted to take books from the Library while any fines or charges remain unpaid.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

1. The privileges of the Buffalo Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library Building are *free* to all.

2. The Buffalo Library is open on Sundays from one o'clock to six o'clock P. M., and all are welcome.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

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Adam, J. N.	8	...
Adams, Prof. Herbert B.	...	1
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Baltimore Peabody Institute	...	1
Bangor Public Library	...	1
Bayliss, Samuel, East Aurora	4	...
Beach, Charles F., Jr.	...	2
Becker, Hon. Philip	...	1
Bemis, Edward W., Ph. D.	...	1
Bergtold, W. H.	1	1
Birmingham Free Libraries	...	1
Bodleian Library, Oxford, Eng	1	...
Boston Public Library	3	5
Bradish, Alvah, A. M.	1	...
Bradnach, Dr. F.	2	...
Bridgeport, Conn., Public Library	...	1
Briggs, A. H., M. D.	...	1
Bronson Library, Waterbury, Conn.	1	...
Brookline, Mass., Public Library	...	1
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Bryant, William C.	...	2
Buffalo Board of Health	2	...
Buffalo Board of Police	...	1
Buffalo Catholic Publication Co.	1	...

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uffalo Charity Organization Society	...	1
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uffalo City Clerk	4	...
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uffalo College of Pharmacy	...	2
uffalo Corporation Council	...	1
uffalo Express	2	...
uffalo Fire Department	...	1
uffalo Historical Society	...	1
uffalo Homeopathic Hospital	...	1
uffalo International Fair	2	...
uffalo Law School	...	1
uffalo Merchant's Exchange	...	1
uffalo Park Commissioners	...	2
uffalo State Asylum for the Insane	...	1
uffalo Superintendent of Education	1	...
uffalo Water Works	...	1
uffalo Young Men's Christian Association	1	2
alifornia, University of	1	2
harlton, John, Esq., M. P.	17	14
hicago Board of Trade	1	...
hicago Department of Public Works	1	...
hicago Manual Training School	...	1
hicago Public Library	...	12
hurch Mission to Deaf Mutes	...	1
ncinnati Public Library	1	1
arke, Mrs. Grace Julian, Indianapolis	1	...
eveland Public Library	1	1
oles, Abraham, M. D	1	...
omstock, Mark	1	9
one, Rev. O.	...	1
ongress, Librarian of	...	2
onover, Hon. George S.	...	6
onway, Rev. James, S. J.	...	1
ook, Prof. George H., N. J.	7	...
ooley, Hon. Thos. M.	1	...
ornell University	...	2
ornell University, Agricultural Experiment Station	...	10
ornell University Library	1	1
erar, John, Chicago, Trustees of the Estate of	...	1
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uikshank, Ernest, Fort Erie	...	1
urran, M. A.	1	..

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Egypt Exploration Fund	...	1
Ely, Prof. Richard T	...	1
Engineering News	1	...
Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore	1	...
Erie County Penitentiary	...	2
Esenwein, A	...	1
Evans, Col. Louis M	...	1
Ewing, Gen. Thomas	...	1
Farquhar, Hon. John M	14	6
Fell, Dr. George E	...	7
Felton, Charles E., Chicago	...	2
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Friends' Free Library, Germantown	...	1
Gluck, James F	7	1
Gompers, Samuel	...	1
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Grand Rapids Public Library	...	1
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Hartford Library Association	...	6
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Hannecke Co., Milwaukee	1	...
Higgins, Edward E	3	...
Hollister, Frank M	1	...
Horsford, Eben Norton	1	...
Hubbell, Rev. William S	...	1
Hudson House of Refuge for Women	...	1
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Inter-State Commerce Commission	1	...
Ives, William	...	2
Johns Hopkins University	...	3
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ove, Miss	1	10
cMillan, Hon. D. H	...	115
aimonides Library, New York	...	1
arshall, William	...	1
arvin, Le Grand, Estate of	174	...
assachusetts Bureau of Labor Statistics	7	9
assachusetts Institute of Technology	...	2
assachusetts New Church Union	1	...
assachusetts State Board of Arbitration	1	...
ercantile Library, New York	...	3
erz Universal Extractor and Construction Co	2	1
chigan Board of Corrections and Charities	...	1
lwaukee Chamber of Commerce	...	1
lwaukee Public Library	1	8
nneapolis Chamber of Commerce	1	...
nnesota Bureau of Labor Statistics	1	...
est, Henry	...	1
tional Civil Service Reform League	...	2
wark, N. J., Public Library	...	1
w Bedford Public Library	...	1
wberry Library, Chicago	...	1
w Haven, Conn., Free Public Library	...	2
w Jersey Board of Education	1	...
w Jersey Bureau of Labor Statistics	1	...
w Jersey State Superintendent of Public Instruction	2	...
wton, Mass., Free Library	...	1
w York Civil Service Reform Association	3	56
w York Cooper Union	...	1
w York Produce Exchange	2	...
w York Secretary of State	44	...
w York State Agricultural Society	1	...
w York State Board of Charities	1	...
w York State Bureau of Labor Statistics	2	...
w York State Engineer and Surveyor	1	...
w York State Factory Inspectors	1	...
w York State Forest Commission	1	...
w York State Library	4	6
w York State Railroad Commissioners	4	...

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New York State Superintendent of Public Works	1	...
New York Young Men's Christian Association	...	1
Niagara University, Medical Department	...	1
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Norwich, Conn., Slade Memorial Museum	...	1
Ohio Meteorological Bureau	...	14
Ohio State Forestry Bureau	2	...
Omaha Public Library	...	1
Osgoodby, W. W	10	...
Pangborn, Geo. W	1	...
Parker, Col. F. W., Cook Co., Ill	...	2
Paterson, N. J., Free Library	...	1
Peabody Institute, Peabody, Mass	...	1
Peale, R. S. & Co	1	..
Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery	...	1
Peterson, Frederick, M. D	...	2
Philadelphia Academy of Natural Sciences	...	1
Philadelphia Library Company	...	2
Philadelphia Mercantile Library	...	2
Pinson, H	...	1
Hoor, H. V. and H. W	...	1
Pope, F. L	1	1
Potter, W. W., M. D	1	...
Pratt Institute, Brooklyn	1	...
Providence Athenæum	...	1
Providence Public Library	...	2
Putnam, Prof. F. W Cambridge, Mass	...	1
Reform Club, New York	1	10
Reynolds Library, Rochester	...	1
Rhodes, Benjamin, Niagara Falls	1	...
Rochester University	...	2
Rohlfs, Charles	3	...
Rosenau, N. S	...	6
St. Louis Mercantile Library	...	1
St. Louis Public Library	...	1
St. Paul Chamber of Commerce	...	1
Salem Public Library	1	1
San Francisco Mercantile Library	...	1
San Francisco Public Library	...	1
Schoonmaker, Hon. A	1	...
Scoville, Hon. Jonathan	7	...
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Smith, Hon. James M	...	1
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Smithsonian Institute	1	...
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Sothern, Henry & Co., London	1	...
Springfield, Mass., City Library	...	1
Stevens, Milo	1	...
Stickney, D. C	4	...
Swansea Public Library	...	2
Taunton, Mass., Public Library	1	1
Thiry, J. H., Long Island City	...	1
Thurber, F. B	...	1
Tiphaine, Leon V	...	1
Toronto Public Library	2	1
United States Adjutant-General's Office	1	...
United States Board of Indian Commissioners	1	...
United States Bureau of Education	6	3
United States Bureau of Ethnology	1	...
United States Bureau of Statistics	2	...
United States Chief of Engineers	4	...
United States Civil Service Commission	1	...
United States Coast and Geodetic Survey	1	...
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United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue	1	...
United States Commissioner of Labor	1	...
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United States Comptroller of the Currency	2	...
United States Department of Agriculture	3	...
United States Department of Interior	62	...
United States Department of State	21	...
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United States Nautical Almanac Office	1	...
United States Navy Department	1	...
United States Secretary of Agriculture	1	...
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United States Surgeon General's Office	1	...
Van Allen, L	...	1
Waddie, John	1	...

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Ward, Lester F.	...	1
Warren County Library, Monmouth, Ill.	...	2
Warren, Pa., Library	...	1
Weeks, Edson J.	1	2
West, Prof. Charles E.	1	...
Wheeler, E. S., New York	...	2
Whitman, Rev. George	2	...
Wilcox, Ansley	...	2
Wilmington, Del., Institute	...	1
Wisconsin Agricultural Experiment Station	...	3
Wisconsin State Historical Society	...	3
Worcester, Mass., Free Public Library	...	1
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Year.	Paid for Books and Binding.	Paid for papers, periodicals, etc.	Volumes added.	Periodicals and papers taken.	Members elected and paid.	Honorary Members.	Life Members elected.	No. of Paying Members.	Rate of	Rates of Dues.	Debt of the Association.	Volumes drawn from Library.	Initiation and Dues.	Cash donations including life membership.	Net Receipts from lectures.	Amount left in Treasury.	Amount of Library Fund.	PRESIDENTS.
1836	$2.102.87	$730.00	2,700	102	400		44	400	$2.00	$2.00	$300.00	5,500	$1.234.00	$3.787.00	Free.	$189.15		Seth C. Hawley.
1837	653.13	341.00	86	45	82	8	16	304	2.00	5.00	2,484.00	7,500	1,010.74	1.425.00	Free.	198.19		Seth C. Hawley.
1838	140.51	378.00	no acc	45	53			303	2.00	5 00	2,075.00	6,300	1,121.00	484.00	Free.	78.16		George E. Hayes.
1839		250.00	none.	27	35			195	2.00	5.00	1,976.00	6,600	1,047.00	297.75	$4.50	69.47		Edward Norton.
1840	36.00	323.00	128	28	28		22	124	2.00	5.00	808.00	6,400	675.75	1,253.00	10.00	3.84		Walter Joy.
1841	148.40	284.90	81	33	281	1	7	407	2.00	5.00	408.62	10,400	1,352.00	418.00	35.69	63.64		Warren Bryant.
1842	103.56	289.00	122	36	90			401	1.00	3.00	370.04	11,100	1,292.00	35.50	2.00	273.23		W. L. G. Smith.
1843	84.30	158.00	248	42	57			271	1.00	3.00	481.53	9,000	868.75	53.00	7.00	164.74		W. H. Greene.
1844	73.48	204.33	20	no acc	40		1	278	1.00	3.00	545.78	8,000	878.87	52.00	No. Lec.	16.75		Jabez B. Bull.
1845	427.60	140.00	385	21	64			458	1.00	3.00		8,200	1,444.44	248.28	162.90	367.93		Gibson T. Williams.
1846	159.82	208.95	155	no acc	63		1	400	1.00	3.00		9,250	1,263.25	51.25	144.47	571.39		Samuel T. Atwater.
1847	574.99	209.54	420	43	133		3	475	1.00	3.00		10,600	1,556.56	378.75	31.20	603.38		Thomas C. Welch.
1848	231.97	233.96	170	41	134	1		398	1.00	3.00		14,200	1,327.62	227.46	20.77	466.12		James Sheldon.
1849	320.04	190.07	199	31	132	1		445	1.00	3.00		12,000	1,467.12	260.42		546.75		Isaac Sherman.
1850	245.00	196.82	228	30	72	3		397	1.00	3.00		9,477	1,262.18	60.00	18.41	349.36		Charles D. Norton.
1851	382.43	198.76	75	34	276	1	4	797	1.00	3.00		11,600	2,664.60	1,494.00	392.29	1,900.44		J. M. Hutchinson.
1852	796.67	196 87	918	48	266	2	1	814	1.00	3.00		14,440	2,708.36	85.00	152.34	2,038.98		James L. Butler.
1853	1,345.14	202.49	576	52	254	1	1	838	1.00	3.00		19,229	2,769.25	160.50	691.93	2,954.77		Bronson C. Rumsey.
1854	1,618.00	245.51	857	55	184	9	1	853	1.00	3.00		22,995	2,743.63	50.00	380.37	2,214.11		Wells D. Walbridge.
1855	730.88	233.21	679	55	344	9	3	1,070	1.00	3.00		22,793	3,524.74	150.00	271.69	3,040.53	$1,150.00	Alex. W. Harvey.
1856	2,068.41	238.45	1,289	55	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,830	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	1,200.00	John G. Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	105	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer,
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,647.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	2,500.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682.76	2,800.00	Wm. Flemming.
1860	487.69	186.44	543	50	183		6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736.93	2,850.00	David F. Day.
1861	241.80	279.53	277	55	116	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	3,200.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,220.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,300.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23,281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,628.57	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633.81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.35	5,206.43	8,288.65	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1,091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285.44	5,660.00	8,500.00	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000 00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,800.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,775	1.00	3.00	39,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	10,100,00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9,212.05	11,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,897.94	656.08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	13,300.00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.64	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,950.00	George S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.72	700.00	1,144.39	3,702.62	19,750.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768.48	894	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176.40	4,493.34	20,050.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717.23	20,350.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,567.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4,009.75	300.00		2,107.42	20,735.04	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959.25	200.00		3,541.23	20,935.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737.02	21,035.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,356.60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,250.00	72,832	4,107.25	100.00		1,738.02	21,085.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660.24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,385.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,435.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,122.04	21,835.04	Wilson H. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		1,998.76	22,085.04	Charles A. Sweet.
1882	4,519.81	612.00	2,704	111	422	6	6	1,776		3.00	10,500.00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550.00		231.94	22,033.74	Henry Bull.
1883	4,260.71	660.12	3,085	108	337	2	371	1,814		3.00		90,108	4,071.60			1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	110	334		408			3.00		96,113	3,873.00			1,202.86	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,667.34	640.71	3,072	123	327		495	1,980		3.00		84,918	3,144.00			1,000.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,527.97	629.08	3,082	154	337	2		1,994		3.00	225,000.00	80,943	2,417.00			680.99	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	4,527.97	629.08	3,082	154	337	2		1,994		3.00	225,000.00	80,943	2,417.00	1,879.00			22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.

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Gallagher, Mrs. Wm. B.
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Gates, Grace N.
Geismer, Carrie
Geismer, Mrs. M.
Germain, Louise G.
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Gibbons, Mrs. Montgomery
Gibbons, Mrs. Minnie
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Gillett, M. Ione
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Gordan, Mary E.
Gould, Bessie L.
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Held, Mrs. Frederick
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Hemenway, Sarah
Henry, Mrs. Flora T.
Herr, Mrs. H. D.
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Joyce, Miss A. E.
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Mullen, Anna
Murray, Maude S.
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Neill, Mary A. C.
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Noble, Minnie J.
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Provoost, Jennie
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Roesicker, Mrs. O. A.
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Sandford, Gertrude
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Sheldon, Sarah P.
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Sherman, Mrs. Julia
Sherman, Mrs. Julia T.
Sherwin, Annie
Shire, Mrs. Moses
Sikes, Mrs. Albert D.
Sikes, Sarah C.
Sims-George, Mrs.
Sliter, Mary
Sloan, Tillie M.
Slyer, Emma
Smead, Mrs. Jennie
Smith, Anna A.
Smith, Mrs. A. W.
Smith, Carrie K.
Smith, Clara
Smith, Mrs. Elizabeth C.
Smith, Mrs. J. A.
Smith, Mrs. M. N.
Sommerville, A. M.
Soper, Mabel B.
Sparks, Mamie
Spencer, Mrs. B.
Spire, Cora J.
Stambach, Belle
Stannard, Mrs. G. S.
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Steck, Mrs. George
Steinman, Tessa
Stephenson, Mrs. P.
Stevens, Mrs. W. W.
Stinson, Mrs. E. B.
Stirling, Grace H.
Stone, Georgia C.
Stone, H. B.
Stratton, Mrs. C. H.
Stutzman, Lizzie
Stygall, Lida M.
Summers, Emmala
Summers, Mrs. Wm.
Swan, Mrs Nellie
Sweetland, Anna J.
Swift, Mrs. H. J.
Tabbat, Mrs. J. W.
Taber, Harriet C.
Taylor, Grace
Taylor, Mrs. G. C.
Taylor, Mrs. Martha
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Thompson, Lillie
Thompson, Minnie E.
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Treat, Kate S.
Tremaine, Ethel M.
Trible, Grace
Tunmore, Mrs.
Tuttle, Mrs. W. A.
Ulman, Mrs. Fred.
Van Etten, Nellie
Van Orman, Anna M.
Van Vleck, Mattie
Wade, Blanche E.
Wade, Carolyn B.
Wade, Mary A.
Wadsworth, Louise
Wait, Mattie C.
Walker, Dr. Catherine
Wallace, Nellie J.
Warner, J. A.
Warwick, Annie
Watson, E. M.
Watson, Eva
Webb, Eva F.
Weber, K. Belle
Weeks, Ida J.
Weill, Ermanee
Weill, Mrs. H.
Weill, Mrs. L. E.
Weill, Mrs. Louis
Weimert, Mrs. Fred. Jr.
Welch, Jane Meade
Whelpton, Alice M.
White, Eva B.
White, Mrs. M. E.
White, Mary E.
Whiting, Mrs. Mary
Whitney, Augusta
Whitney, Grace
Whitten, Anna E.
Whittlesy, Mrs. T. H.
Wile, Flora
Wilgus, Mrs. F. A.
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Williamson, M. A.
Willyoung, Mrs. A. S.
Wilson, Edith B.
Winchester, Grace
Winn, Mrs. A. C.
Winter, Annie
Wissell, Carrie
Woehnert, Alice I.
Wolff, Hattie P.
Woltge, Mrs. Wm.
Wood, Emma
Wright, Mrs. J. A.
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Wyman, Mrs. J. F.
York, Sarah Jane
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Zielinska, Marie de
Zook, Kate

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Barnum, T. D.....1884
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Barton, Oliver F.....1857
Barton, Thomas D.....1857
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Witmer, Mary.....1886
Wolf, Miss Grace.....1884
Wolter, Henry G.....1885
Woltge, A. A..... 1884
Woodruff, Lauren C.....1884
Woods, Mrs. Nellie A.....1886
Woodworth, Claude H.....1884
Worthington, Miss S. Francis...1886
Worthington, S. K.....1865
Wright, A. J.....1886
Wright, Albert B.....1886
Wright, A. R.....1884
Wright, Alfred Park.....1886
Wyckoff, C. C.....1884
Ziegele, A., Jr 1886

HONORARY MEMBERS.

Ball, Rev. G. H.
Beard, Wm. H.
Bigelow, Rev. Albert
Bird, Mrs. Wm. A.
Brauns, Rev. F. W.
Charlton, John
Chester, Rev. A. T.
Chivers, Rev. E. E.
Cronin, Rev. P.
Egbert, Rev. J. P.
Eidlitz, C. L. W.
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Fitch, Rev. F. S.
Howells, Wm. D.
Hubbard, Prof. O. P.
Hubbell, Rev. W. S.
Hyde, Rev. M. C.
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Mitchell, Rev. S. S.
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Schelle, Rev. Frederick
Sellstedt, L. G.
Smith, Rev. Charles H.
Smith, Rev. T. Ralston
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Ward, Rev. Henry
Welo, Rev. James
Whitman, Rev. G. W.

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FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

1891.

FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF MANAGERS

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY



AND

TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

ANNUAL MEETING, FEBRUARY 23, 1891.

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STANDING COMMITTEES.

Library,	HOLLISTER, HOYT, NORTON, ALTMAN, PLUMB.
Finance,	PLUMB, ALTMAN, CLEMENT, BISSELL, ROCHESTER (*ex-officio*).
Law,	SIMONS, PLUMB, SMITH, MINER.
Membership,	ALTMAN, SIMONS, HAWLEY, RAMSDELL, GATCHELL.
By-Laws,	MINER, SIMONS, HAWLEY, SMITH.
Lectures,	GATCHELL, BISSELL.
Donations,	SMITH, GATCHELL, CLEMENT.
Newspapers and Periodicals,	BISSELL, SMITH, MINER.
Rooms and Fixtures,	HAWLEY, CLEMENT, RAMSDELL,
Printing,	CLEMENT, ALTMAN, ALLEN (*ex-officio*).
Archives,	HAWLEY, MINER.
Auditor,	RAMSDELL.

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SUPERINTENDENT OF THE LIBRARY.

J. N. LARNED.

LIBRARIAN.

WILLIAM IVES.

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RALPH H. PLUMB,	PRESIDENT.
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GEORGE R. TELLER,	RECORDING SECRETARY.
NATHANIEL ROCHESTER,	TREASURER.

CURATORS OF THE LIBRARY.

For One Year.	*For Two Years.*	*For Three Years.*
WILLIAM B. HOYT.	PORTER NORTON.	ROSWELL PARK

DIRECTORS.

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LAURENCE O. ALLEN,	HARRY T. RAMSDELL,	GEORGE R. TELLER,
STEPHEN M. CLEMENT, JR.	GEORGE S. GATCHELL,	WILLIAM L. MARCY,
CHARLES R. WILSON,	JAMES R. SMITH,	CHARLES L. GURNEY.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Library,	ALTMAN, CLEMENT, HOYT, NORTON, PARK.
Finance,	ALTMAN, BISSELL, CLEMENT, GATCHELL, ROCHESTER (*ex-officio*).
Law,	MARCY, MINER, SMITH, WILSON.
Membership,	BISSELL, GATCHELL, GURNEY, MARCY, RAMSDELL.
By-Laws,	ALTMAN, MARCY, MINER, SMITH.
Lectures,	ALLEN, WILSON.
Donations,	CLEMENT, SMITH, WILSON.
Newspapers and Periodicals,	ALLEN, GURNEY, RAMSDELL.
Rooms and Fixtures,	BISSELL, CLEMENT, RAMSDELL.
Printing,	GATCHELL, MINER, TELLER (*ex-officio*).
Archives,	ALLEN, GURNEY.
Auditor,	RAMSDELL.

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FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

FIFTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 23, 1891.

The President, Mr. Philo D. Beard, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

Upon motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

The Library Committee presents the following report:

There have been added to the Library during the past year 2,833 volumes, including gifts, bound periodicals, pamphlets, etc. Of this number 2,042 volumes were purchased at a cost of $2,560.09.

The circulation of books outside of the Library during the past year reached the highest figures on record—102,749—a slight increase over those of the preceding year. It is interesting and encouraging to note the fact that the use of books in the "Study," where any books in the Library can be called for and read by non-members as freely as the same privilege is enjoyed in the Grosvenor Library, shows the remarkable increase of 7,000 volumes, reaching a total of 25,145 volumes for the year. This evidence of the usefulness and growing popular appreciation of the free privileges of the Library is particularly striking in view of the fact that these figures do *not* apply to the use of the extensive collection of books of reference in the "Study," which is open and accessible to all comers. This department of the Library representing the free public side of the institution is growing in usefulness so rapidly that the management will be compelled at an early day to place a competent assistant in the "Study" for the purpose of assisting visitors and students in obtaining the books or information they seek.

With the co-operation of the Rooms and Fixtures Committee an admirable arrangement for storing and exhibiting the fine collection of maps now owned by the Library has been carried out in the "Study," and a modest attempt made in the "Nook," at end of the counter in the main service room, to meet the wants of many members who like to see and skim the cream of the best current publications. The books in the "Nook" are not numerous, but include the most popular works of the day (barring fiction), and are not allowed to be taken away.

Your committee are satisfied that, thanks to the intelligent zeal of the Library's devoted Superintendent, great results have been accomplished in extending the usefulness of the Library along the lines of the liberal policy which has shaped the management of the institution for several years—results quite out of proportion to the

neans employed. They know how much remains to be done ; how umerous and inviting are the opportunities for enlarging and mproving the Library, and making its stores more quickly accessi-le to its patrons. But these changes and improvements cannot be nade without more money than is now available. The Library, o far as its proper functions are concerned, is actually more crip-led for want of funds than it has been in many years.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. HOLLISTER, *Chairman.*
W. B. HOYT,
PORTER NORTON,
HENRY ALTMAN,
R. H. PLUMB.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

Within the twelve months past we have added to the Library by urchase, 2,042 volumes of books; by gift, 583 volumes; by binding eriodicals, 209 volumes; by exchange, 1 volume; making a total f 2,835. We have expended in the purchase, $2,560.09. Of the olumes bought, 172 were to replace older copies worn out, and nly 1,870 were actual additions to the Library store. It is need-ess to say that this constitutes a very moderate growth, and cannot e regarded with satisfaction by those who appreciate the library eeds of a city so important as Buffalo has become. We have to o back a dozen years to find the time when our funds for the pur-hase of books were as limited as they have been during these three ast years.

The circulation of the Library, as shown in the appended table, as been very nearly identical in extent with that of the previous ear, being 102,749 volumes, against 102,600.

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1891.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy	66	84	64	60	45	43	37	73	75	63	52	55	717	.0069
Religion	115	158	117	122	109	87	118	113	132	126	112	123	1,432	.0139
Social Science	149	168	147	134	69	75	86	105	187	166	144	168	1,598	.0145
Language	21	19	21	8	9	4	11	14	12	13	16	12	160	.0016
Natural Science	184	227	183	200	115	108	134	129	212	221	183	203	2,099	.0204
Useful Arts	98	90	92	88	67	70	87	82	139	102	79	112	1,106	.0117
Fine Arts	194	178	133	143	113	88	72	109	165	143	137	142	1,617	.0166
Gen'l Literature	859	1,027	781	845	627	533	552	571	757	763	778	769	8,862	.1062
Juvenile Fiction	924	1,073	837	826	733	754	695	635	922	918	811	894	10,022	.0973
Fiction	4,798	5,633	4,764	5,497	4,806	5,042	5,148	5,097	5,325	5,436	4,650	5,164	61,360	.5970
Travel	431	516	396	347	300	264	282	302	396	398	386	404	4,422	.0440
Biography	427	458	342	318	215	201	225	258	351	398	366	388	3,947	.0373
History	537	583	424	383	266	281	273	336	597	649	535	543	5,407	.0536
Totals	8,803	10,214	8,301	8,971	7,474	7,550	7,720	7,824	9,270	9,396	8,249	8,977	102,749	1.000
Books used for reference	2,338	3,002	2,927	1,968	1,407	1,160	1,434	1,872	2,838	2,222	1,336	2,641	25,145	

The quality of the circulation shows continued improvement, the per cent. of fiction, including juvenile fiction, being only a small fraction over 69. Last year it exceeded 72 per cent. Twelve years ago it was 77 per cent. The steady cultivation in our community of a taste for reading more instructive than the reading of novels is plainly shown. The classes of literature in which the increased use appears are chiefly history, travel and science.

But the great advance made in the public use of the Library during the year has been found in the consultation of books within our own reading rooms. The books used "on call" in "The Study" have numbered 25,145 volumes, against 18,183 last year. This is exclusive of the large and constant use made of the freely exposed reference books in the Study, which readers may take from the shelves at will. The daily number of visitors to the Study is increasing so rapidly that there will soon be a need of more tables and chairs.

A better arrangement of maps, both for the keeping of them, on llers, in racks, and for the hanging of the larger wall-maps when anted for examination, has been among the improvements of the ear.

An experiment lately undertaken, with the approval of your committee, has been introduced on so modest a scale that its results annot fairly, perhaps, be measured. I allude to the furnishing of little "nook" for readers, contiguous to the delivery counter, here they may find a small number of the choicer new books of he day provided in duplicate for their examination. With the cant funds at our command it has been impossible, thus far, to do ore in this experiment than hint a promise for the future. But ven the few books supplied have added no little, I think, to the njoyment of the Library by many people. It will not need any onsiderable expenditure to make this one of the most attractive nd satisfactory features of the place.

At the annual checking on the 1st of January, 37 volumes, other han novels, were missed and are not yet accounted for, 14 of which re from the reference books in the Study, kept on open shelves. Iost of these are of slight value, and the loss cannot, under he circumstances, be considered large. Yet it is shameful that ven one book should be stolen from such a place, where everybody welcomed and everybody is courteously and generously trusted.

The free tickets issued to pupils in the public schools are being sed with increasing satisfactoriness, and with a higher appreciaon of them on the part of teachers and pupils alike. I feel impelled to repeat my recommendation of last year that the number f tickets for the schools be increased.

The opening of the reading rooms of the Library on Sunday fternoons has continued to be satisfactory in every respect. The ttendance is large and orderly, and the visitors are always, for the ost part, people whom we do not see in the Library on other ays.

I append the usual statistics of the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlet.
Bibliography	46	640	1,072
General Cyclopædias	3	273	
General Periodicals	45	1,298	15
Polygraphy, etc	2	238	3
Philosophy	38	1,237	164
Religion	157	4,916	295
Law, Politics, Political Economy, etc	263	5,325	928
Education	29	664	503
Commerce	37	818	638
Statistics	18	464	42
Other Social Subjects	14	718	217
Philology	15	497	26
Natural Science	119	3,564	237
Useful Arts	95	3,363	482
Fine Arts	46	2,154	92
Literary Periodicals	137	3,430	
English Poetry, Criticism, etc	94	4,318	66
English Prose Fiction	556	10,020	3
German Poetry, etc	8	498	
German Prose Fiction	34	718	
French Poetry, etc	12	712	10
French Prose Fiction	51	975	1
Italian Literature	2	152	2
Spanish Literature	2	85	
Greek and Latin Literature	11	401	1
Other Literature	17	396	3
Geography and Travel	110	4,247	126
" Maps* 352	17		
Biography	146	4,860	183
History: American	110	2,540	353
History: Other Countries	286	4,410	83
Local History and Literature	52	986	1,829
Local Maps* 34	11		
New Books (duplicate copies) reserved from circula.		42	
		64,959	7,374
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use		863	
Total		65,822	

*Wall maps and maps folded in cases have heretofore been counted as volumes in the statistics of the Library.

Added during the year:

By purchase		2,042	
By gift		583	
By binding periodicals		209	
By exchange		1	
		2,835	
Books worn out and condemned	190		
Books lost and paid for	22		
Other losses	77	289	
		2,546	
st of books purchased			$2,560.09
id for binding			865.77

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP.

In submitting the Annual Report of the Committee on Membership, we furnish the following figures, showing in detail our act membership for the past year:

mber of annual members February 1, 1890			1,881
mber elected during the year,			549
			2,430
signed,	281		
ceased	10		
opped for absence and non-payment,	104		
mporary members of 1889, who have not paid dues since,	306		701
			1,729
e members reported last year	1,213		
ected during the year	4		
will of Le Grand Marvin	6		
	1,223		
ceased during the year,	10		
			1,213
norary members,			36
Total membership,			2,978

From this statement you will observe, although we have gained elective membership 112 in the last year, we have fallen off in e total. This is accounted for by the dropping of 306 temporary embers of 1889, who have not paid dues since. We feel now, under the new restrictions, that members cannot be elected for election

purposes only; that the Library has reached a substantial basis of membership, which will steadily increase. We believe a good solicitor, at fair remuneration (as has been experimented) would gain many new members, and keep many of the old ones, who do not pay their dues, from mere dereliction. The new life membership certificates are now in the hands of the Librarian, and we hope for many applications of the same the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY ALTMAN,
SEWARD A. SIMONS,
LAURENCE O. ALLEN,
EDWARD S. HAWLEY,
Committee on Membership.

COMMITTEE ON NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

Your Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals would respectfully report that they have expended during the last year, ended December 31, 1890, four hundred ninety-four and $\frac{28}{100}$ dollars ($494.28), and have incurred liabilities of $229.03, accounts due and unpaid. Total, $723.31, as compared with an expediture of $637.17 the previous year, showing an apparent increase of $85.14 for the year last past. During the past year the subscription payments of a number of periodicals were changed so that they might expire at the end of the calendar year. This involved payments for a period longer than the regular one, in some cases adding a half year, in others a longer time. The following year will receive the benefit of above expenditure. During the past year your committee discontinued the subscriptions for 13 daily papers and one weekly, aggregating $105, and added twenty-six weekly and monthly periodicals of an industrial and scientific character, at a cost of $99.21. There are at present on file for public reading:

Daily Newspapers	23
Weeklies	51
Fortnightlies	2
Monthlies	81
Bi-monthlies	2

Quarterlies		19
Occasionals		5
Total		183
By subscription	139	
By gifts	44	
	183	

Of the above, 136 have been bound for preservation. The remainder are kept on file for reference during a year and then disposed of. The increased interest in the use of the reading room continues, and it is believed that the change from daily local publications to weekly and monthly magazines and prints of a mechanical and scientific character has been an added attraction. In this connection we wish to acknowledge the kindness of Mr. Larned for statistics and general attention.

Respectfully submitted,

WORTHINGTON C. MINER,
JAS. R. SMITH,
A. D. BISSELL,
Com. on Newspapers and Periodicals.

COMMITTEE ON DONATIONS.

Your committee respectfully report that there have been given to the Library during the year 552 volumes of books and 482 pamphlets, besides sundry periodicals and other gifts, a full list of which we have prepared for the files.

We wish to make special acknowledgments to Hon. John M. Farquhar and Hon. LeRoy Andrus for attention to the wants of the Library at Washington and Albany, to Hon. John Charlton of the Dominion Parliament, for publications of the Canadian Government, to the United States Department of the Interior, the New York Secretary of State, the New York State Library and Regent T. Guilford Smith for many favors.

Respectfully,

JAMES R. SMITH,
GEO. S. GATCHELL,
S. M. CLEMENT, JR.,
Committee.

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 23, 1891.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

At the opening of the present year we were confronted with an unprovided debt, on account of hotel erection, amounting to, in round numbers, $100,000.

It is, therefore, with no little gratification that we are able to announce that, with the exception of about $1,000 now in dispute, every account has been settled in full. This has been accomplished mainly by the sale of balance of

Second Mortgage Bonds	$9,000.00
Third Mortgage Bonds	60,000.00
Loan from Library Fund	20,000.00
Advanced by Real Estate Committee	5,982.45
F. W. Tracy's Subscription	3,000.00
Total	$97,982.45

In compliance with the By-Laws, the annual appropriation of $1,500 has been placed to the credit of the Sinking Fund.

There has been received from rent the sum of $55,673.32, which includes the payment of rent on the part of the Buffalo Fine Arts Academy to November 1, 1893, but, on the other hand, there is still due on account of back rent, $3,300.

The receipts from Life Memberships were	$200.00
LeGrand Marvin's bequest for Life Memberships	5,000.00
Membership Dues (an increase over the previous year of $822.83)	4,116.08
Total	$9,316.08

The expenditures of the various committees on account of the Library proper were as follows:

Library Committee:		
On account of books	$2,560.09	
On account of binding	865.77	
For labor and expense	6,363.57	
		$9,789.43
Law Committee		50.00
Membership Committee		4.20
Printing Committee		406.50
Newspapers and Periodicals		494.28
Rooms and Fixtures		713.18
Total		$11,457.59

TREASURER'S REPORT.

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

lance as per last Report		$2,021.90
es		4,116.08
ies		595.12
nt of Books		127.21
nt of Periodicals		3.55
oks sold		26.16
ding lists sold		23.05
lletins sold		.65
ste paper sold		1.25
ndries		3.00
neral Fund, Interest on Bank Account		32.50
rary Fund, Interest	City and County Hall Bond	215.83
	$7,500 Note	450.00
	$10,000 "	600.00
	$20,000 "	161.10
	Bank Account	303.45
m Real Estate Commissioners		6,000.00
		$14,680.85

DISBURSEMENTS.

tionery for Treasurer		$8.25
mbership Committee		4.20
nting Committee		406.50
wspapers and Periodicals Committee		494.28
oms and Fixtures Committee		713.18
w Committee		50.00
rary Committee	Books	2,560.09
	Binding	865.77
	Sundries	117.71
" Salaries of employees		6,245.86
erest on $7,500 note		450.00
deemed 16 Bonds Y. M. A., $50 each		800.00
ced to credit of Sinking Fund		1,500 00
ance on hand		465.01
		$14,680.85

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and chers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

THE LIBRARY FUND CONSISTS OF

Demand Note of the Buffalo Library at 6 per cent	$7,500.00
" " " "	10,000.00
" " " "	20,000.00
Cash in the Third National Bank of Buffalo	1,728.99
	$39,228.99

CASH ACCOUNT OF THE LIBRARY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance as per last Report		$9,383.74
Balance of F. W. Tracy bequest		500.00
Sale of 7 per cent. Bond City and County Hall, $5,000, at 1.33		6,650.00
Life Memberships	A. R. Atkins	50.00
	Fred. K. Dellenbaugh	50.00
	Frances G. Ward	50.00
	Alphonzo J. Myer	50.00
	Le Grand Marvin Bequest	5,000.00
		$21,733.74

DISBURSEMENTS.

By Expenses in Sale of 7 per cent. Bond	$4.75
Loan at 6 per cent. to Building Fund	20,000.00
Balance as Reported Above	1,728.99
	$21,733.74

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

THE SINKING FUND.

To Cash Deposited in the Third National Bank	$1,500.00

I have examined this account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BUILDING FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance as per last Report	$1,303.25
" of F. W. Tracy's Subscription	3,000.00
Interest on Bank Account	51.00
Compromise, J. Reimann	175.00
Sale 18 2d Mortgage Bonds, $500 each	9,000.00
" 3d " " G. T. Williams	60,000.00
Loan from the Library Fund	20,000.00
" " Real Estate Com.	5,982.45
	$99,511.70

DISBURSEMENTS.

lbacker & Davis	$289.82
I. C. Harrower	255.75
tis Bros	600.00
. P. Jones & Co.	15.36
esse M. Smith	256.90
. F. Rust	90.38
V. H. Glenny, Sons & Co	4,518.89
ills Payable	93,449.36
nterest on note, Weed & Co	35.24
	$99,511.70

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor*.

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in Account with* THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

RECEIPTS.

alance as per last Report		$13,750.21
ents..	Iroquois Hotel	43,666.68
	361 Main Street	2,100.00
	363 " "	2,049.98
	363 " " rear	400.00
	367 " "	1,800 00
	369 " "	1,466.66
	Lecture Room	170.00
	Clergy House	1,220.00
	Electric Lamps, Art Gallery	5.00
cct. of Ass'ments for Maintenance of Building	Fine Arts Academy	2,300.00
	Historical Society	500.00
nterest	C. J. Williams' Mortgage	7.50
	Bank Account	358.30
		$69,794.33

DISBURSEMENTS.

	1st Mortgage to Buffalo Savings Bank	$21,000.00
	2 " Coupons, Oct., 1889	100.00
	2 " " April, 1890	6,025.00
nterest...	2 " " Oct., 1890	6 050.00
	$10,000 note	600.00
	$20,000 "	161.10
	Bills Payable ($93,449.36)	4,486.22

Library Building	Fuel	$1,203.89	
	Local Taxes	49.71	
	Supplies, etc	473.56	
	Stationery	5.50	
	Insurance	15.00	
	Engineer	900.00	
	Janitor and help	1,178.80	$3,826.46
Clergy House, Insurance			47.50
Iroquois Hotel	Insurance	$376.97	
	Local Taxes	.73	
	Alterations and repairs	1,388.85	1,766.55
Attorney's fees, collecting Scott's rent			46.00
Paid Treasurer the Buffalo Library			6,000.00
" " the Building Fund			5,982.45
Balance in Third National Bank			13,703.05
			$69,794.33

I have examined the above report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

BUFFALO, N. Y., Feb. 21, 1891.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

To the Buffalo Library:

Your Board of Real Estate respectfully reports that the property committed to its care has undergone little change of circumstances or condition during the past year.

A lease which had been made originally to William Scott of the room at the rear of the store occupied by George D. Barr was cancelled in May last, and the room was then leased to Messrs. Woolley and Gerrans, for use in connection with the Hotel Iroquois, and for a term of years to expire on the expiration of their hotel lease, at the annual rental of $400.

With the consent of the Board, the use of the Clergy House has been transferred from St. John's Church to the City of Buffalo for school purposes, the former still continuing to be the lessee of the building from the Library.

On the second floor of the Library building, the lecture-room at the rear of the Clinton Street wing was leased in September last until June next to the Buffalo Law School for $150.

Of other real property of the Library the leases remain as stated the last annual report of the Board.

By the completed sale of five per cent. Second Mortgage Bonds, nd by a Third Mortgage loan to the amount of $60,000 at six per ent. obtained from Gibson T. Williams, Esq., the greater part of e hotel building debt of the Library has been funded, on the most dvantageous terms possible.

The present financial condition of the Library is shown by the report of the Treasurer, and the same report indicates the expenditures that have been made during the year in the completing of the otel building, and in some small repairs and alterations of the ibrary building.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS,
PHILO D. BEARD,
N. ROCHESTER.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

The Inspectors of Election for the annual election, held Februy 10, 1891, presented their report, from which the following is an tract:

And we, as such Inspectors, do further certify that the followg named persons received a majority of the ballots cast at said nual election for the respective offices for which they were candites, and we do further declare the following named persons duly ected to the several offices set opposite their names:

President	RALPH H. PLUMB.
Curator	ROSWELL PARK.
Treasurer	NATHANIEL ROCHESTER.
Directors (Three Years)	HENRY ALTMAN, GEORGE R. TELLER, WILLIAM L. MARCY, CHARLES L. GURNEY.
Director (One Year)	CHAS. R. WILSON.
Real Estate Commissioner	PHILO D. BEARD.

We certify that the foregoing statement is correct in all respects.

GEORGE W. HAYWARD,
PETER P. BURTIS,
HOWARD H. BAKER,

BUFFALO, February 10, 1891. *Inspectors of Election.*

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The retiring President, Mr. Philo D. Beard, then delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library:

One year ago I "pledged the earnest efforts of the incoming administration to fund the large floating indebtedness, so that after providing for a small sinking fund an income would remain for the benefit of the Library which would materially increase its efficiency." It is my pleasant duty this evening to report that the pledge has been fulfilled. The large floating debt which seriously embarrassed us at that time has been funded in permanent form, by placing a third mortgage on the property of the Library for $60,000, payable in ten years, the sale of $9,000 of the 5 per cent. bonds remaining in the treasury, and borrowing on the notes of the Buffalo Library $30,000 from the Library Fund. The debt of the Library and the interest thereon is as follows, viz.:

$600,000.00	Mortgage Buffalo Savings Bank, 3½ per cent...	$21,000.00
250,000.00	Second Mortgage Bonds, 5 per cent..... ...	12,500.00
60,000.00	Third Mortgage, G. T. Williams, 6 per cent....	3,600.00
30,000.00	Notes to Library Fund, 6 per cent.....	1,800.00
$940,000.00		$38,900.00

The Buffalo Library owes the Library Fund, in addition to the sum above mentioned, $7,500. This loan was made necessary by reason of the shrinkage of income occasioned by the burning of the Richmond Hotel.

This adds $450 to our interest account, making a grand total of $39,350. Now that the affairs of the Library are in a more settled state, earnest efforts should be made to extinguish this emergency debt, as it was incurred solely for running expenses, and does not represent, as does the remainder, property investment.

The rental income of our property will be, from May 1st, as follows:

Woolley & Gerrans.	Hotel	$41,000.00	
	Rear 361 Main St.	2,400.00	
	Rear 363 Main St.	400.00	
			$43,800.00
361 Main St.			2,400.00
363 Main St.			2,000.00
367 Main St.			1,800.00
Corner Store			3,000.00
Clergy House			1,220.00
			$54,220.00
Deduct from this the fixed charges (interest on debt)			39,350.00
			$14,870.00

If there were no further deductions to be made, we might congratulate ourselves on the handsome balance. From this, however, must come disbursements for insurance, repairs to buildings, taxes or local improvements, etc.

The remaining sum can be divided between the Library and the sinking fund. There are other sources of revenue, but as they are unreliable and uncertain I do not take them into account. I am pleased to say that the income from membership dues show an increase over former years. This is in a large part owing to a better system of making collections. The wants of the Library are increasing and more funds must be provided for the purchase of books, as well as to provide for an increased amount to be added annually to the sinking fund. I can see no other way to accomplish this than by increasing our membership. An annual membership of five thousand can be secured, I believe, if an energetic solicitor is engaged to make a vigorous canvass throughout the city for members. If properly laid before them, I think there are thousands of public spirited citizens who would gladly pay $3.00 annually to be identified with Buffalo's grandest and most useful institution.

I again recommend that at the annual meetings in the future, the building be thrown open for a public reception and promenade. With good music, the annual meeting which is now so neglected can be made a popular event, which would be looked forward to with pleasure.

The settlement of the LeGrand Marvin estate has received the earnest attention of the Board of Managers. Early in the year a special committee was appointed to look after the case, and to secure as early a settlement as possible. The committee at once organized and took up the matter. They found many unexpected difficulties in the way of speedy settlement. Hasty action was precluded by the complicated character of the case. The case is a most remarkable one and, as is well known, has been in litigation for many years and was the butt and ridicule of judges and lawyers.

In 1864 LeGrand Marvin assigned to Simon Greenwood all of his interest in the firm of Le Grand and George L. Marvin, for the purpose of dissolving the firm and putting Greenwood in a position to bring an action to make George L. Marvin account for moneys he had received while a member of the firm of LeGrand and George L. Marvin, and also to have the court render judgement to the effect that these lands which had been deeded to George L. Marvin by his father's assignee, or his mother, in exchange for lands thus received from his father's assignee, were lands really paid for with the firm money, and were held in trust by George L. Marvin for LeGrand and George L. Marvin jointly. Simon Greenwood died in 1875, and Elizabeth Greenwood, his widow, was substituted as trustee to carry on the lawsuit which was begun in 1864, and after continued litigation was finally decided by the Court of Appeals in November, 1888, in favor of LeGrand Marvin.

Judgment entered in that suit is the one under which the land has finally been sold from which the Buffalo Library has received the $9,250 on judgment and $5,000 for life memberships, and is to receive about $20,000 additional very soon. Messrs. Lewis & Moot, who took up the case in 1882 when it seemed a forlorn hope, undertook it under contract with LeGrand Marvin and Elizabeth Greenwood. The special committee to whom this matter was intrusted labored under the delusion that Messrs. Lewis, Moot & Lewis were to render their account to the executor, George L. Kingston, but we later learned that they were acting for Mrs. Greenwood and were only accountable to her and not to the executor. They were not obliged to submit the bill to the executor nor to the representatives of the residuary legatee—the Buffalo Library.

The only way in which their account could be taken up and investigated was through the executor's application to the Supreme Court for the appointment of a referee to examine the accounts of Mrs. Greenwood. This meant a prolonged contest, occupying two or three years, during which the Library would lose the use of the money, and, besides paying the expenses of the contest, would take the chance of the court sustaining the full amount of the claim. The trustee, Mrs. Greenwood, had already paid a large part of their bill, and was prepared to pay in full any bill that they might present.

In justice to Messrs. Lewis & Moot, I must say that they are deserving of credit for their good judgment and tact in securing the most saleable portion of the real estate, that part on which leases were expiring, and immediate possession could be given, and also for the judicious handling of the property, realizing as they did full prices for it.

The settlement of the estate has not been fully completed; because the special committee esteem it their duty to make a thorough and searching investigation into the accounts of the executor. The amount the Library will receive cannot be less than $20,000. We hope to realize more within a brief period when the entire amount will be paid over to the treasurer of the Library.

In closing I desire to congratulate the officers and committees who have been associated with me during the past year upon the good work done by them, and to thank them for their cordial support and co-operation.

The Board looked upon the bill of the attorneys as somewhat extraordinary and excessive, but Messrs. Lewis, Moot & Lewis were prepared to show that their account was just, under all of the circumstances. They had prepared two bills, one made up in the usual manner, which approximated $65,000, and the other itemized, charging, in the English way, for each and every service rendered; they had devoted over one thousand actual days' service to the case; this bill approximated $67,000. For this service they proposed to the Buffalo Library to accept the flat sum of $50,000. The $3,500 additional was for services rendered after the decision of the Court of Appeals and in the sale of the land. Messrs. Lewis & Moot de-

sired to know if their bill if presented for $53,500 would be accepted, or if objections would be made to the account of Mrs. Greenwood if she paid it. If it was to be contested they would render their bill for the full amount of $65,000 and $3,500 additional, believing they could collect the entire amount. This aspect of the case was carefully considered, and the advice of several prominent lawyers, warm friends of the Library, were sought before the decision to accept the settlement proposed was arrived at.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

Mr. Ralph H. Plumb, the President-elect, then addressed the meeting, as follows :

Members of the Buffalo Library :

While much might be said in the way of changes and improvements, it is not my purpose, in view of our financial condition, to advocate measures where the expenditure of any considerable sum of money is involved, but rather ro invite your efforts towards the husbanding of our means, and the adding to our resources to the end that we may not only increase our Sinking Fund beyond its annual requirements, but to largely add to the annual appropriation of the Library Committee, which has been not only poverty stricken, but in an almost starving condition during the past few years. In short, the wants of the Library have been met in a most parsimonious manner, and justly so, as no other course was open to us ; but now that the great load occupying our every thought has been lifted, let us turn our efforts towards the *direct* advancement of the object of our incorporation—the maintenance of a library.

I use the word "direct" in its literal sense, owing to the dormant condition the Library proper has been forced to maintain, and I now know of no more direct way of accomplishing this end than by a largely increased membership, and a consequent augmentation of revenue.

If by the little work of the year past our receipts from dues were increased 25 per cent., what may they not be with a proper effort and the exercise of greater care in our collections? Indeed, if we are to make the Library in *fact* what it is in name, we must add

rgely to our resources, for with a fixed income of but $55,900.00, ffset by an interest account of $39,350.00, an expense account of, pproximately, $14,000.00, and a fixed annual appropriation to the nking fund of $1,500.00, we have left us for the increase of the brary but $1,050.00

To be sure $2,250.00 of this interest account is returned to us as terest upon the Library Fund, but, nevertheless, if we are to make ny considerable advancement, we must look to annual dues to pply our wants. Particularly so, as in the foregoing statement o allowance has been made for repairs and other contingent xpenses.

That you may the more fully appreciate the relative position we ear to our sister societies, permit me to call your attention to the llowing table of comparison :

Expenditures.	Books.	Periodicals.	Binding.	Other Expenses.	Total.
icago Pub. Lib. (1890)	$11,148	$2,174	$5,280	$61,483	$80,085.00
ncinnati P. L. (1890)	7,560	2,966	3,566	38,044	52,136.00
ooch Pratt F.L., Baltimore (1890)	15,079	1,391	1,875	25,386	43,731.00
ronto Pub. Lib. (1890)	14,385	2,558	2,031	20,311	39,285.00
n Francisco P. L. (1890)	7,832		2,684	20,224	30,740.00
troit P. L. (1888)	6,749	1,138	2,995	19,783	30,665.00
eveland P. L. (1889)	4,332	888	651	16,567	22,438.00
lwaukee P. L. (1889)	2,390	1,026	978	13,072	17,466.00
ffalo Library (1890-91)	2,560	723	865	11,715	15,863.00

The fact that we are lowest on the list I have no doubt will prove bit of astonishing information to most of you, and will, I trust, cite us all to greater efforts, that another year may find us several ounds farther up the ladder.

As the leases of several of the societies occupying our building ave, for various reasons, not been consummated, I beg to call your tention to the importance of their early execution, that the serious mplications endangered by further postponement may be averted.

In closing, permit me to express the hope that at the termination the year, the present administration may have so conducted your fairs as to merit, at least in a slight degree, the approbation so chly deserved by the out-going board.

President Plumb then announced the Standing Committes for the ensuing year, as follows:

Library—Hoyt, Norton, Park, Altman, Clement.

Finance—Altman, Clement, Bissell, Gatchell, Rochester (*ex-officio*).

Law—Miner, Smith, Marcy, Wilson.

Membership—Bissell, Ramsdell, Gatchell, Marcy, Gurney.

By-Laws—Marcy, Miner, Altman, Smith.

Lectures—Wilson, Allen.

Donations—Clement, Smith, Wilson.

Newspapers and Periodicals—Allen, Ramsdell, Gurney.

Rooms and Fixtures—Ramsdell, Bissell, Clement.

Printing—Gatchell, Miner, Teller (*ex-officio*).

Archives—Gurney, Allen.

Auditor—Ramsdell.

The meeting then adjourned.

GEORGE R. TELLER,
Recording Secretary.

SYNOPSIS OF LIBRARY RULES.

Members may have two books at one time, or more by paying ten cents for each extra volume.

New books, in much demand, may be kept one week; other books, two weeks.

Charge for retention over time, three cents per day on each book.

Costly books and volumes in series, periodicals, etc., may be drawn under special conditions.

All injuries to books must be paid for.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

1. The privileges of the Buffalo Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library Building are *free* to all.

2. The Buffalo Library is open on Sundays from one o'clock to six o'clock P. M., and all are welcome.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
erdeen Public Library	..	1
bany Publishing Co	..	1
bany Young Men's Association	..	1
my, F	..	1
nerican Academy of Dramatic Arts	.	1
nerican Institute of Homœopathy	2	..
nerican Institute of Mining Engineers	1	.
nerican Iron and Steel Association	1	..
nerican Metrological Society	..	1
nerican Oriental Society	4	..
nerican Philosophical Society	1	..
nherst College	..	3
ndrus, Hon. LeRoy	1	13
tor Library	..	1
ltimore Peabody Institute	..	1
rber Asphalt Paving Co	1	..
rnard, Joseph	2	..
rmingham, Eng., Free Libraries	1	1
xby, James	2	..
ntell, Lewis Henry	1	..
ston Athenæum	..	1
ston Children's Aid Society	..	1
ston & Maine Railroad Co	1	..
ston Public Library	2	1
ston Record Commissioners	3	..
wdoin College	..	2
adnack, F	1	1
ookline, Mass., Public Library	..	1
ooklyn Civil Service Reform Association	..	1
ooklyn Library	..	1
own, J. C., Edinburgh	..	1
yant, Wm. C	..	2

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Brymner, Douglas, Canada	1	..
Buffalo Charity Organization Society	..	1
Buffalo City Clerk	2	.
Buffalo Civil Service Reform Association	..	1
Buffalo Comptroller	1	..
Buffalo Corporation Council	..	1
Buffalo Courier Co	1	..
Buffalo Historical Society	..	1
Buffalo Masonic Hall Association	..	2
Buffalo Merchants' Exchange	..	1
Buffalo Park Commissioners	..	4
Buffalo Police Department	1	..
Buffalo Riding Club	..	1
Buffalo Street Railroad Co	2	..
Buffalo Superintendent of Education	1	..
Buffalo Water Works	1	..
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association	1	..
California State Library	1	..
California, University of	1	3
Cambridge, Mass., Public Library	..	1
Carter, J. C., New York	..	1
Chandler, Miss Ellen M	9	.
Chandler, Frank M	..	1
Charlton, John, Esq., M. P	11	8
Chicago Auditorium	..	1
Chicago Board of Trade	1	..
Chicago Manual Training School	..	1
Chicago Public Library	..	1
Chicago-Washington Centennial Committee	1	..
Chisholm, J. F., St. Johns, Newfoundland	1	..
Cincinnati Public Library	1	1
Cincinnati Young Men's Mercantile Library	..	1
Clark University, Worcester, Mass	..	2
Connecticut Bureau of Labor Statistics	1	..
Cornell University	..	3
Costa Rica Legation	..	2
Cruikshank, Ernest, Fort Erie	..	1
Cust, R. N., London, Eng	4	..
Custer	1	..
Cutter, Miss Joanna	..	1
Day, Hon. David F	..	1
Detroit Public Library	2	..

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Devereaux, John A.	1	.
Doughty, F. W., Brooklyn	..	1
Enoch Pratt, Free Library, Baltimore	1	..
Erie Co. Penitentiary	.	1
Farquhar, Hon. John M.	45	7
Felton, C. E., Chicago	1	1
Ferris, Mrs. H. A.	18	..
Foote, Allen R., Washington	..	1
Friends' Boarding School, Barnesville, O.	..	1
Friends' Free Library, Germantown	..	1
Fulton Law Academy	..	1
Gager, John C.	1	..
Gallia Academy, Galliopolis, O.	..	1
Glendale Female College	..	1
Gorham, George	2	3
Grand Lodge F. and A. M., State of New York	2	..
Grand Rapids Public Library	..	1
Grand River Institute	..	2
Green, Rev. Rufus S.	1	..
Green, S. S., Worcester, Mass	..	1
Green Spring Academy	..	1
Hamilton Public Library	1	..
Hartford Library Association	..	2
Hartford Theological Seminary	..	9
Harvard University	3	2
Heath, D. C. & Co.	..	1
Hepburn, Hon. A. B.	5	1
Hilton, N. J., Library	..	1
Hoadley, Chas. E., Hartford	..	1
Hogg, Rev. Wilson T.	1	..
Howard, Prof. Geo. E.	..	1
Hubbell, Rev. Wm.	..	1
Indianapolis Public Library	1	..
Ingram, John W.	1	..
Ivison, Blakeman & Co.	1	..
Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore	1	..
Johns Hopkins University	..	2
Johnston, James N.	1	..
Johnstown Flood Relief Commission	1	..
Jones, Rev. W. M.	4	15
Judd, Eva M.	42	1
Kellogg, Chas. D., New York.	..	5

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Kenyon Military Academy	..	2
Konvalinka, J. G	..	1
Lake Erie Female Academy	..	1
Lanigan, John A	..	1
Lawrence, Mass., Free Public Library	..	1
Le Couteulx St. Mary's Institution	..	1
Leeds Free Public Library	..	1
Library Bureau, Boston	..	1
London, Corporation of the City of	1	..
Los Angeles, Cal., Public Library	..	1
Lowell City Library	..	1
McKnight, David	1	..
McLaughlin, J. T	2	..
McMillen, Hon. D. H	3	103
Maimonides Library, New York	..	1
Massachusetts Bureau of Labor Statistics	2	..
Massachusetts Institute of Technology	..	1
Massachusetts State Board of Arbitration	1	..
Matthews, Northrup & Co	1	20
Meister, A	1	..
Michigan Bureau of Labor Statistics	2	..
Milwaukee Art and Science Class	1	..
Minneapolis Public Library	2	2
Minnesota Bureau of Labor Statistics	1	..
Missouri Bureau of Labor Statistics	3	..
Mittleberger's Miss. English and Classic School	..	1
Mount Auburn Young Ladies' Institute, Cincinnati	..	1
National Executive Silver Committee, Washington	..	1
National League for Protection of American Institutions	..	1
Nebraska, University of	..	1
Newark, N. J., Public Library	1	..
New Bedford Free Public Library	..	1
Newberry Library, Chicago	..	1
Newburyport Public Library	..	1
New Haven Free Public Library	..	1
New Jersey Bureau of Labor Statistics	1	..
New Jersey Geological Survey	2	..
New Jersey State Geologist	..	1
New Jersey Superintendent of Public Instruction	1	..
New Lyme Institute	..	1
Newton, Mass., Free Library	..	1
New York Agricultural Experiment Station	1	..

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
w York Apprentices' Library	..	1
w York Bureau of Labor Statistics	1	..
w York Civil Service Commission	1	..
w York Civil Service Reform Association	..	2
w York Forest Commission	..	1
w York Free Circulating Library	1	.
w York Mercantile Library	..	1
w York State Engineer	1	..
w York State Factory Inspectors	..	1
w York State Library	6	4
w York State Museum	..	2
w York State Railroad Commissioners	2	..
w York State Regents of the University	1	..
w York State Reservation Commissioners at Niagara	..	7
w York State Secretary of State	26	..
w York Young Men's Association	..	1
gara University	..	1
Connell Monument Committee, Dublin	1	..
io Meteorological Bureau	..	1
io Normal University	..	1
io State Commissioner of Common Schools	1	..
aha Public Library	..	1
tario Education Department	..	2
tario Minister of Agriculture	1	..
erbein University	..	2
ford, Ohio, College for Young Ladies	..	1
body Institute, Peabody, Mass	..	1
nsylvania Historical Society	1	..
nsylvania Secretary of Internal Affairs	1	..
ria Public Library	..	1
ladelphia Apprentices' Library	..	1
ladelphia Library Company	..	3
ladelphia Mercantile Library	..	1
r, H. V. and H. W	3	1
ter, F. H., M. D	2	..
ter, W. W., M. D	1	..
tt Institute, Brooklyn	..	1
vidence Athenæum	..	1
gan, Jas. M., Minneapolis	..	1
hardson, A. C	..	13
chester, The Misses	77	..
senau, N. S	..	18

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
St. Louis Mercantile Library	..	1
St. Louis Public Library	..	1
Salem, Mass., Public Library	..	3
San Francisco Free Public Library	..	1
San Francisco Mechanics' Institute	1	..
San Francisco Mercantile Library	..	1
Sawin, James M., Providence, R. I.	..	1
Schoonmaker, Hon. Augustus	1	..
Scoville, Hon. Jonathan	10	..
Shepard, F. J.	..	3
Shepardson Female College	..	1
Slicer, Rev. Thos. R.	..	1
Smith, Chas. E., Philadelphia	1	1
Smith, Mrs. Pemberton, Philadelphia	..	30
Smith, T. Guilford	27	27
Smithsonian Institute	6	5
Springfield, Mass., City Library	..	1
Stevens, Milo	..	1
Swansea, Wales, Public Library	..	1
Takashi, Kenzo, Tokio, Japan	1	..
Taunton, Mass., Public Library	..	1
Thiry, J. H., Long Island City	..	2
Tokio Library, Tokio, Japan	1	..
Topeka, Kansas, Public Library	..	2
Torrey, D.	1	..
Townsend, George Alfred	1	..
Townsend, Mrs. George W.	..	1
United States Adjutant General's Office	1	..
United States Board of Indian Commissioners	1	..
United States Bureau of Education	2	3
United States Bureau of Statistics	6	..
United States Chief of Engineers	5	..
United States Civil Service Commission	1	2
United States Coast and Geodetic Survey	1	..
United States Commissioner of Internal Revenue	4	..
United States Commissioner of Labor	1	..
United States Commissioner of Navigation	1	..
United States Commission of Pensioners	..	1
United States Commissioner of Railroads	1	..
United States Comptroller of the Currency	1	..
United States Department of Agriculture	3	6
United States Department of Interior	73	..

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
nited States Department of State	5	2
nited States Director of the Mint	2	..
nited States Fish Commission	1	..
nited States Geological Survey	1	..
nited States Hotel Co., Boston	1	..
nited States Inter-State Commerce Commission	2	..
nited States Navy Department	2	..
nited States Patent Office	1	..
nited States Secretary of the Treasury	1	..
nited States Signal Office	5	..
nited States Superintendent of the Census	..	1
nited States Superintendent of the Nautical Almanac	2	..
nited States Surgeon General's Office	1	..
rsuline Academy, St. Martins, Ohio	..	1
ssar College	1	1
ele, Sheldon T	1	..
arren County Library, Monmouth, Ill	..	1
atson, Henry M	8	..
ebb, Dr. Wm. Seward	2	..
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Harvard University Bulletins.
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lbright & Co., 2 large photographic views of Reading Docks, Buffalo.
handler, Frank M.....15 Maps
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1836	$2,102.87	$730.00	2,700	102	400		44	400	$2.00	$2.00	$300.00	5,500	$1,234.00	$3,787.00	Free.	$189.15		Seth C. Hawley.
1837	653.13	341.00	86	45	82	8	16	304	2.00	5.00	2,484.00	7,500	1,010.74	1,425.00	Free.	198.19		Seth C. Hawley.
1838	140.51	378.00	no acc	45	53			303	2.00	5.00	2,075.00	6,300	1,121.00	484.00	Free.	78.16		George E. Hayes.
1839		250.00	none.	27	35			195	2.00	5.00	1,976.00	6,600	1,047.00	297.75	$4.50	69.47		Edward Norton.
1840	36.00	323.00	128	28	28		122	124	2.00	5.00	803.00	6,400	675.75	1,253.00	10.00	3 84		Walter Joy.
1841	148.40	284.90	81	33	281	1	7	407	2.00	5.00	468.62	10,400	1,352.00	418.00	35.60	63 64		Warren Bryant.
1842	103.56	289.00	122	36	90			401	1.00	3.00	370.04	11,100	1,292.00	35.50	2.00	273.23		W. L. G. Smith.
1843	84.30	158.00	248	42	57			271	1.00	3.00	481.53	9,000	868.75	53.00	7.00	164.74		W. H. Greene.
1844	73.48	204.33	20	no acc	40		1	278	1.00	3.00	545.78	8,000	878.87	52.00	No. Lec.	16.75		Jabez B. Bull.
1845	427.60	146.00	385	21	64			458	1.00	3.00		8,200	1,444.44	248.28	162.90	367.93		Gibson T. Williams.
1846	159.82	208.95	155	no acc	63		1	400	1.00	3.00		9,250	1,263.25	51.25	144.47	571.39		Samuel T. Atwater.
1847	574.99	209 54	420	43	133		3	475	1.00	3.00		10,600	1,556.56	378.75	31.20	603.38		Thomas C. Welch.
1848	231.97	233.96	170	41	134	1		398	1.00	3.00		14,200	1,327.62	227.46	20.77	466.12		James Sheldon.
1849	320.04	190.07	199	31	132	1		445	1.00	3.00		12,000	1,467.12	260.42		546.75		Isaac Sherman.
1850	245.00	196 82	228	30	72	3		397	1.00	3.00		9,477	1,262.18	60.00	18.41	349.36		Charles D. Norton.
1851	382.43	198.76	75	34	276	1	4	797	1.00	3.00		11,600	2,664.60	1,494.00	392.20	1,900.44		J. M. Hutchinson.
1852	796.67	196.87	918	48	266	2	1	814	1.00	3.00		14,440	2,708.36	85.00	152.34	-2,038.98		James L. Butler.
1853	1,345.14	202.49	576	52	254	1	1	838	1.00	3.00		19,228	2,769.25	160.50	691.93	2,954.77		Bronson C. Rumsey.
1854	1,618.00	245.51	857	55	184	9	1	853	1.00	3.00		22,995	2,743.63	50.00	380.37	2,214.11		Wells D. Walbridge.
1855	730.88	233.21	679	55	344	9	3	1,070	1.00	3.00		22,793	3,524.74	150.00	271.69	3,040.53	$1,150.00	Alex. W. Harvey.
1856	2,068 41	238 45	1,289	57	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,830	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	1,200.00	John G. Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	165	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer.
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,047.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	2,500.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682 76	2,800.00	Wm. Flemming.
1860	487.69	186 44	543	50	183		6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736 93	2,850.00	David F. Day.
1861	241 86	279.53	277	55	116	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	3,200.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,212.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,300.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23,281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,628.57	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633 81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.85	5,206.43	8,288.65	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1,091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285.44	5,650.00	8,500.00	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504 05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,800.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,755	1.00	3.00	39,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	10,100.00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9,212.05	11,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,897.94	656 08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	13,300 00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.44	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,950.00	George S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.72	700.00	1,144 39	3,702.62	19,750.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768 48	894	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176 40	4,493.34	20,050.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717.23	20,350.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,557.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4,009.75	300 00		2,107.42	20,735.04	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959 25	200.00		3,541.23	20,935.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737 02	21,035.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,355.60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,250.00	72,832	4,107.25	100.00		1,738 02	21,085.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660.24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,385.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,436.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,122.04	21,835.04	Wilson H. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		1,098.76	22,085.04	Charles A. Sweet.
1882	4,519 81	643.60	2,794	111	422	6	6	1,776		3.00	10,500 00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550 00		231.94	22,033.74	Henry Bull.
1883	4,290 71	690.12	3,095	108	337	2	371	1,814		3.00		99,108	4,071.60			1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	116	334	...	400			3.00		96,113	3,873 00			1,202.80	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,697.34	646.71	3,672	133	327		95	1,360		3.00		84,918	3,144.00			1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,227.97	625 08	3,523	154	337	2		1,500		3.00	225,000 00	56,943	2,017.00			560.38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	176	399	[illegible]	[illegible]	1,014		3.00		80,035	3,097.75	124.879 25			22,183.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1888	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	106,189	4,498.49	[illegible]	[illegible]	16,774.00	31,888.74	George Gorham
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SUPERINTENDENT OF THE LIBRARY.

J. N. LARNED.

LIBRARIAN.

WILLIAM IVES.

FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

FIFTY-SIXTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 29, 1892.

The President, Mr. Ralph H. Plumb, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

Upon motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

The Library Committee submits the following report:

It is with regret that we are obliged to report that fewer books have been added to the Library during the past twelve months than during any like period in the last fifteen years. This Committee has also had less money to expend for that purpose than has been reported within that time. We can show only 2,212 volumes added to the Library during the year, although the circulation in volumes has increased about 1,500 during that time. Unless a decided increase can be made in the sum allowed for the purchase of books, grave apprèhensions are entertained for the future efficiency of the Library. That its reputation has been maintained during the past year is, in the opinion of your Committee, almost entirely due to the devotion, zeal and intelligent direction of its Superintendent.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM B. HOYT,
PORTER NORTON,
HENRY ALTMAN,
S. M. CLEMENT, JR.
Library Committee.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Curators of the Library and Members of the Library Committee.

GENTLEMEN: The statistical tables which are appended show 2,212 volumes of books added to the Library during the year, of which 1,604 were by purchase (costing $2,280.54), 329 by gift, 217 by the binding of periodicals, 49 by exchange, and 13 by the construction of scrap-books and in various other ways. This number of accessions is smaller than those of any former year since 1877; and the expenditure for books is likewise the least that has been reported within that same period.

The circulation of books from the Library has been increased by about 1,500 volumes over the previous year, rising to a total of 104,244, against 102,749. The following table exhibits its course by months, and the analysis of it by classes of literature:

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1892.

Subjects	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy, . .	69	69	75	50	44	42	42	67	55	70	70	52	705	.0707
Religion, . . .	120	136	126	112	78	73	71	96	147	128	109	110	1,303	.1240
Social Science, .	173	168	141	112	99	99	87	109	184	181	175	144	1,722	.1653
Language, . .	20	21	27	27	18	11	16	7	16	15	22	13	213	.0204
Natural Science,	191	230	161	157	126	96	98	153	208	192	217	195	2,024	.1846
Useful Arts, . .	100	123	98	94	68	77	87	83	88	98	130	103	1.149	.1124
Fine Arts, . . .	158	164	153	115	113	134	90	145	170	194	207	174	1,817	.1752
Gen'l Literature,	910	966	781	726	634	651	635	635	807	845	851	806	9,247	.8871
Juvenile Fiction,	757	883	828	722	683	673	625	623	797	868	952	809	9,220	.8855
Fiction, ...	5,082	5,675	5.377	5,030	5,083	5,029	5,402	4.937	5,389	5,095	5,342	5,747	63,128	6.0569
Travel, ...	379	408	359	309	255	212	212	202	316	352	328	378	3,710	.3560
Biography, . .	455	435	368	261	276	205	226	239	389	472	365	419	4,111	.3951
History, . . .	474	565	506	414	374	302	297	391	616	729	655	573	5,896	.5668
Totals, . .	8,888	9,843	9,000	8,129	7,851	7,604	7,888	7,687	9,182	9,239	9,423	9,573	104,244	10.0000
Books used in the Library for reference.	1,930	2,320	1,312	1,624	1,398	1,318	1,716	1,969	2,810	2,667	2,243	2,405	23,712	

The proportion of fiction, including juvenile fiction, is identical with that of last year, being sixty-nine per cent. For several years previously to last year it had stood at seventy-two and seventy-three per cent., having declined to that proportion from an early percentage of seventy-five to seventy-seven. A permanent improvement in the quality of the reading to which the Library contributes is therefore apparent most distinctly; and, while it is slow, the encouraging promise from it is unmis-

takable. The classes which show an increase in the circulation are those of History, Biography, and Social Science.

The use of books not drawn from the Library, but consulted in "The Study," has again been large, 23,712 volumes having been supplied to readers "on call," besides the much greater number to which they have helped themselves from the many reference works on our open shelves. If any account could be kept of these, I have no doubt it would make a total exceeding 100,000.

The number of free tickets issued to the pupils in the public schools has been increased during the past year, under authority from the Board of Managers, to 600. They are used, too, I am persuaded, with increasingly good effect, which is considerably the result of an awakening interest among teachers in the use made of them. I think there can be no doubt that these tickets are generally well bestowed, with a benefit to the community which the Library itself cannot fail to share, and that a still greater number of them might be advantageously given out.

The annual checking of the Library did not take place as usual at the beginning of the year, having been deferred until midsummer, when it can be done with less disturbance of the Library or of the public making use of it.

The Sunday opening of the reading-rooms of the Library has continued to be satisfactory in every way.

Before closing this brief report, I shall venture to repeat one suggestion which I made four years ago, at the beginning of the "stress of circumstances" under which we are suffering yet. I can still say, as I said then, that I see no fair prospect in the future of sufficient ability on the part of the Library to meet the increasing needs of the increasing body of students, in many fields who look to it and depend upon it, and for the helping and encouraging of whom it is vastly important to our city that liberal, full provision should be made. Even when our income shall have been restored, it will come to us with a great burden

of debt upon it, requiring some heavy reservation every year for a sinking fund or for the payment of bonds. In the most sanguine view of our affairs, it is impossible to look forward to a revenue for the Library that will come up to the needs of such an institution as this is, in such a city as Buffalo has grown to be. It is almost certain that there will be less of an income available for its support than is appropriated to Libraries of corresponding rank in other cities, east and west, where their maintenance is from public funds.

It is probable, therefore, that our Library will be unable for many years to adequately encourage the growing disposition in this city toward broader study and exacter knowledge, unless it is helped by the liberality of its friends. My hope for the better equipment that we need, especially in the departments which I have alluded to, is a hopeful anticipation of endowments, by gift or bequest, that may provide special revenues for the purchasing of special classes of books. I feel sure that if an example were given of the endowment of one such fund,—the fund to be named after its giver and to be sacredly invested in perpetuity, with the annual income that proceeds from it to be applied to the purchase of books for a special department in the Library,—it would prove to be so monumental a gift and so admirable in its fruits that the contagion of the example would easily spread. In my visions of the future I sometimes please myself with imagining a long list of such endowment funds inscribed in the books of the Library, perhaps upon its walls. As I contemplate them they are somewhat like this:

A..... Fund.—For the purchase of books and periodicals relating to the Fine Arts and the History of Art.

B..... Fund.—For the purchase of works on Mechanics, Mechanic Arts and Trades, and Engineering.

C..... Fund.—For the purchase of works on Chemistry and Chemical Technology, including Metallurgy and the Working of Metals.

D..... Fund.—For the purchase of works on Medicine and Surgery, and the Biological and Hygienic Sciences connected therewith.

E..... Fund.—For the purchase of works pertaining to the several branches of Mathematical and Physical Science, including Geology and Mineralogy.

F..... Fund.—For the purchase of books in the departments of Botany and Zoology.

G..... Fund.—For the purchase of books in the German language relating to German History and Politics, or belonging to German Literature.

H..... Fund.—For the purchase of books relating to American Local History and Family History.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED,

Superintendent.

APPENDIX.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net. Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography,	30	640	1,153
General Cyclopædias,	...	273	...
General Periodicals,	31	1,329	18
Polygraphy, etc.,	3	241	3
Philosophy,	43	1,280	170
Religion,	101	5,017	335
Law, Politics, Political Economy, etc.,	120	5,325	1,009
Education,	29	693	519
Commerce,	34	852	645
Statistics,	24	488	45
Other Social Subjects,	27	745	227
Philology,	17	514	27
Natural Science,	107	3,671	251
Useful Arts,	102	3,465	516
Fine Arts,	53	2,207	103
Literary Periodicals,	123	3,553	...
English Poetry, Criticism, etc.,	178	4,496	70
English Prose Fiction,	286	10,306	...

German Poetry, etc.,	1	499	...
German Prose Fiction,	35	753	...
French Poetry, etc.,	24	745	12
French Prose Fiction,	38	1,013	...
Italian Literature,	5	157	2
Spanish Literature,	7	92	...
Greek and Latin Literature,	8	409	1
Other Literature,	31	429	3
Travel and Description,	189	4,436	130
Travel, (Maps, 394),	8	...	...
Biography,	152	5,012	188
History: American,	105	2,645	366
History: Other Countries,	119	4,409	94
Local History and Literature,	61	1,047	1,912
New Books, (duplicate copies reserved from circulation),	...	45	...
		66,786	7,799
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		936	
Total,		67,722	

Added during the year:

By purchase,	1,604
By gift,	329
By binding periodicals,	217
By exchange,	49
Otherwise,	13
	2,212
Maps,	8
	2,220

Withdrawn from books in use:

Worn out and condemned,	113
Lost and paid for	...

COMMITTEE ON MEMBERSHIP.

It will be seen, from the statistics presented below, that there is a slight increase both in memberships and in money collected from same for the year ending February 1, 1892, as compared with the year ending February 1, 1891:

Number of Annual Members reported February 1, 1891,	1,729		
Elected during the year,	591		
		2,320	
Resigned during the year,	271		
Died,	16		
Dropped on account of absence and non-payment,	255	542	
			1,778
Number of Life Members reported last Year,	1,223		
Elected during the year (including nine under the will of the late Le Grand Marvin),	22		
		1,245	
Died during the year,		26	
			1,219
Honorary Members,			28
Total present membership,			3,025
Reported last year,			2,978
Increase, year ending February 1, 1892,			47
Cash received on account of Annual Members, year ending February 1, 1892,	$4,027.10		
Cash from Life Memberships, 1892,	650.00		
			$4,677.10
Cash received, year ending February 1, 1891, from Annual Members,	$4,116.08		
Life Members, 1891,	200.00		4,316.08
			361.02

A gain of forty-seven memberships and $361.02 for the year ending February 1, 1892, over year ending February 1, 1891.

The only satisfaction we can draw from these figures is that we are making progress, and, although it is slow, it shows some growth. In previous years the election rivalry added considerable revenue from new memberships. That source of revenue has been almost wholly eliminated. The service of a professional solicitor, who was tried last year, has been dispensed with this year, so that the results are what may be expected under ordinary circumstances. It is therefore fair to presume that the growth shown this year is the minimum, and that an increase both as to money and memberships may be expected in the future, at least until we arrive at the period when our Library,

through generous gifts or other provisions, shall become entirely free.

It might be of interest to add that at the present time the Library is issuing six hundred free readers' tickets to our public schools, as follows: eighty tickets to the Normal School pupils; one hundred and twenty tickets to the pupils of the High School, and four hundred to the grammar school pupils.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR D. BISSELL, *Chairman.*
GEORGE S. GATCHELL,
WILLIAM L. MARCY,
CHARLES L. GURNEY,
HARRY T. RAMSDELL,
Committee on Membership.

COMMITTEE ON NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

Your Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals would respectfully report that they have expended, during the past year, the sum of $731.03, for which we have had on file:

Daily Newspapers,	24
Weeklies,	57
Fortnightlies,	2
Monthlies,	87
Bi-monthlies,	5
Quarterlies,	18
Occasionals,	7
Total,	200

making a total of 200, of which 141 are paid for and 59 are received as gifts; 140 of these periodicals are bound for preservation; the files of the remainder are kept one year for reference and then disposed of.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURENCE O. ALLEN,
CHARLES L. GURNEY,
H. T. RAMSDELL.

ROOMS AND FIXTURES.

Amount expended during the year, $490.41. Of this amount, $107 was paid for repairing chairs, balance being for telephone, postage, stationery, janitor's supplies, etc.

Respectfully submitted,

H. T. RAMSDELL,
A. D. BISSELL,
S. M. CLEMENT,

Committee on Rooms and Fixtures.

COMMITTEE ON DONATIONS.

The Committee on Donations would respectfully report that there have been received by the Library from various sources, 346 volumes of books and 325 pamphlets, besides periodicals and occasional publications, a full list of which is submitted herewith, together with the names of the donors, and which will be published in the Annual Report.

The gifts deserving special mention are valuable government publications of the Dominion of Canada from the Hon. John Charlton, M. P., Congressional publications from the Hon. John M. Farquhar, a fine set of twenty-five volumes of illustrated works in natural history from S. S. Guthrie, Esq., eighteen volumes of government reports from the Interior Department, eighty-two volumes from J. M. Richmond, Esq., and thirty-one volumes from F. J. Shepard, Esq., of miscellaneous works; also many valuable pamphlets from the Hon. T. Guilford Smith.

Respectfully submitted,

S. M. CLEMENT, JR.,
CHARLES R. WILSON,
JAMES R. SMITH,

Committee on Donations.

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the President and Members of the Buffalo Library:

The Treasurer so completely covers the ground of the Finance Committee, in his detailed statement of the financial standing of the Library, it seems almost unnecessary for us to render any report whatsoever. However, a very satisfactory statement as regards the condition of the Library Fund can not fail to be of interest to all members. We take pleasure in submitting it as follows:

Library Fund, as per last report,	$39,228.99
Added during the past year from Life Memberships,	350.00
Donations, Lewis & Moot,	1,000
From Le Grand Marvin's Estate:	
Cash,	8,999.04
Real Estate,	1,885.00
Mortgages,	11,078.00
Total,	$62,541.03

making an increase to the Library Fund of $23,312.04. As these funds from time to time must seek investment, we would respectfully recommend to the new Finance Committee that they be used in redeeming the third mortgage bonds of the Library, which are now running at six per cent. interest, and the Library in return give notes to the Library Fund at such rate of interest as may be decided upon.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY ALTMAN, *Chairman.*

TREASURER'S REPORT.

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance as per last report,	$ 465.01
Dues,	4,027.10
Fines,	611.26
Rent of Books,	154.06
Books sold,	34.17

History of the Library sold,		$19.35
Finding Lists sold,		18.50
Bulletins sold,		3.85
Catalogues, Periodicals and Magazines,		7.95
Waste Paper sold,		5.20
Sundries,		38.76
General Fund, Interest on Bank Account,		2.35
Library Fund Interest:		
Interest on $ 7,500 note,	$ 450.00	
" " 10,000 note,	600.00	
" " 20,000 note,	1,200.00	
" " Bank Account to Jan. 1, 1892,	127.35	
" " Bank Account to July 1, 1891,	34.65	
" " Delehanty Mortgage,	29.16	
" " Hanrahan Mortgage,	21.00	
" " Quinlivan Mortgage,	45.00	
" " O'Brian Mortgage,	130.89	
		2,638.05
From Real Estate Commissioners,		5,700.00
		$13,725.61

DISBURSEMENTS.

Library Committee:		
Books,	$2,280.54	
Binding,	1,048.95	
		$3,329.49
Salaries of employees of Library,		6,453.79
Rooms and Fixtures Committee,		490.41
Newspapers and Periodicals Committee,		731.03
Printing Committee,		307.20
Law Committee,		63.50
Membership Committee,		121.55
Y. M. A. Coupons Balance,		3.98
Interest on $7,500 note,		450.00
Placed to credit of Sinking Fund,		1,500.00
Annual Election Expenses, 1891,		75.00
On Account Election Expenses, 1892,		27.07
Balance on Hand,		172.59
		$13,725.61

I have examined the within report and, upon comparison with books and vouchers, find same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Library Fund.

Real Estate, No. 182 Chicago street,		$1,885.00
Mortgages:		
1. James O'Grady, six per cent.,	$ 600.00	
2. Thomas J. Burke, " "	200.00	
3. John Delehanty, " "	822.00	
4. Ed. Masterson, " "	600.00	
5. Henry Bassil, " "	416.00	
6. Cath. O'Mara, " "	1,430.00	
7. Patrick McGowan, " "	1,025.00	
8. Martin Quinlivan, " "	1,000.00	
		6,093.00
Notes:		
Buffalo Library, six per cent.,	$ 7,500.00	
" " " "	10.000.00	
" " " "	20,000.00	
		37,500.00
Cash awaiting Investment, four per cent.		17,063.03
		$62,541.03

Cash Account of the Library Fund.

Balance as per last report,		$1,728.99	
Life Memberships:			
William P. Henry,	$50.00		
William H. Wells,	50.00		
William Anderson,	50.00		
Martha T. Williams,	50.00		
Gibson T. Williams,	50.00		
Arthur D. Bissell,	50.00		
Adelaide Richmond,	50.00		
		350.00	
Donation, Lewis & Moot,		1,000.00	
Payments on Mortgages:			
Account Delehanty Mortgage,	150.00		
9. Hanrahan "	700.00		
Account Quinlivan "	500.00		
10. O'Brien "	3,500.00		
Account Bassil "	140.00		
		4,990	
Cash, from Le Grand Marvin estate,		8,999.04	
Recording ten assignments of Mortgages at 50 cts. each,			5.00
Balance cash on hand as stated above,			17,063.03
		$17,068.03	$17,068.03

I have examined this report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

SINKING FUND OF THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

Balance as per last report,	$1,500.00
Interest on same to January 1, 1892,	40.00
Received from Treasurer of the Buffalo Library,	1,500.00
Total,	$3,040.00

I have examined this report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

N. ROCHESTER, *in account with* REAL ESTATE COMMISSIONERS *of the* BUFFALO LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance as per last report,		$13,703.05
Rents:		
Iroquois Hotel,	$43,800.00	
No. 361 Main street,	2,325.00	
" 363 " "	1,999.99	
" 367 " "	1,800.00	
" 369 " " (Back Rent),	1,500.00	
" 369 " "	3,000.00	
Lecture Room,	180.00	
Clergy House,	1,220.00	
		55,824.99
Assessment for maintenance of building from the Historical Society,		500.00
C. J. Williams' mortgage, paid off,		125.00
Interest on Bank Account,		174.61
		$70,327.65

DISBURSEMENTS.

Iroquois Hotel:		
Local Taxes,	27.23	
One-fifth of Main street sewer tax,	172.92	
Eagle street paving tax,	1,128.12	
Insurance,	494.98	
U. S. Electric Lighting Co., balance account,	3,863.88	
Glenny's Sons & Co., balance account,	708.68	
Purifiers,	800.00	
Repairs on roof,	369.87	
Babcock & Wilcox Co., boiler,	1,910.43	
R. T. Keasby, covering for boiler pipes,	282.00	
W. C. Chretien, painting boiler room,	93.52	
Sundry repairs and alterations,	553.32	
		10,404.95

Library Building:		
Fuel,	956.14	
Local Taxes,	116.46	
Supplies and Repairs,	1,609.96	
Engineer,	900.00	
Janitor and help,	971.73	
Assistant Engineer,	107.50	
		4,661.79
Paid Treasurer Buffalo Library,		5,700.00
Interest:		
First mortgage Buffalo Savings Bank,	21,000.00	
Second mortgage coupons,	12,500.00	
Third mortgage interest,	3,600.00	
$10,000 note.	600.00	
$20,000 note,	1,200.00	
		38,900.00
Balance on hand,		10,660.91
		$70,327.65

I have examined this report and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

To The Buffalo Library:

Your Board of Real Estate respectfully submits the following statement of facts relative to the management of the property placed in its care.

An unavoidably large expenditure in the Iroquois Hotel building has been caused, during the year past, by the need of increased steam power for its engines and extensive machinery. This need became apparent as soon as the Hotel was opened, and every month gave added proof that the boilers first placed in the building were being overtasked, with insufficient opportunity for cleaning them and keeping them in a proper state. It was clearly necessary, in the judgment of your Board, that a fourth boiler should be supplied, and contracts for this purpose were entered into last fall. The cost of the boiler purchased from the Babcock and Wilcox Company was $1,896, but the work of placing and connecting it, involving as that did considerable

alterations in the basement of the building, raised the cost of the improvement to more than $5,000.

For economical reasons much the same as those indicated in this case, your Board has found it expedient to introduce a Feedwater Heater and Purifier; connected with the boilers at the Hotel, which has cost the sum of $800.

A large part of the heavy payments which appear in the Treasurer's report on account of the Hotel building, have arisen from a final settlement of accounts with original contractors for the building, and do not properly belong among the expenditures of the past year. A balance of $3,861.95 that was due to the United States Electric Lighting Company, on the perfecting and acceptance of the plant installed by that Company, and a final payment of $708.68 to Messrs. W. H. Glenny's Sons & Co., on the lighting fixtures of the Hotel, are the principal items of such expenditure.

The paving of Eagle Street has been the cause of an extraordinary disbursement to the amount of $1,128.12; and one-fifth of the tax for the new sewer in Main Street, being $172.92, has also been paid.

On the other hand, a considerable portion of the cost of placing the new boiler in the Hotel building will be carried over into the disbursements of the coming year, by the giving of notes to Messrs. Chas. Berrick & Sons, for $1,638.43, and Irlbacker & Davis, $1,740.27.

On the Library building, an unusual expenditure was found necessary in order to cure a defect in the original construction of gutters upon the lower sky-lighted roof of the Broadway wing. The walls of that part of the building were suffering serious injury from an overflow of the gutters laid on top of them, which occurred whenever freezing weather obstructed the conductors. The cause of injury has been removed by reconstruction of the gutters.

An itemized statement of all expenditures of the year will be found in the report of your Treasurer.

Leases of stores in the Hotel building have been changed since your last annual meeting only by a transfer of the lease formerly held by Frank L. Powell to Charles N. Riggs, and that of George D. Barr to Mrs. Barr.

The rear lecture-room in the Library building has been leased again to the Buffalo Law School, at the rental of $150 for the school term.

A portion of the attic of the Library building has been leased to the Fine Arts Academy, for the use of the Art School, at the nominal rental of $82 per annum, to cover merely the cost of steam-heating etc. With the permission and under the direction of the Board, the premises in question have been sky-lighted and fitted up, at the expense of the lessees. The period of the lease to them is twenty years, but it is subject to termination by either party on six months notice.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN L. WILLIAMS,
NATHANIEL ROCHESTER,
RALPH H. PLUMB.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed Inspectors for the election of Officers and Directors of the Buffalo Library, held in the Library building, on Tuesday, the 9th day of February, A. D., 1892, do hereby certify that at the said election, the following-named persons received, severally, the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

Frank M. Hollister, for President,	624
Nathaniel Rochester, for Treasurer,	624
Worthington C. Miner, for Curator,	300
Frank F. Williams, for Curator,	324
Robert S. Donaldson, for Director,	329
Albert A. Woltge, for Director,	292
Frederick A. Jewett, for Director,	294
William A. Douglass, for Director,	264

G. Reed Wilson, for Director, ... 320
Bryant B. Glenny, for Director, ... 288
Charles Clifton, for Director, ... 329
Charles R. Wilson, for Director, ... 330
James Locke, for Director (to fill vacancy), ... 257
Ganson Depew, for Director (to fill vacancy), ... 367
James P. White, for Real Estate Commissioner, ... 99
Ralph H. Plumb, for Real Estate Commissioner, ... 240

And we further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President, ... FRANK M. HOLLISTER.
Treasurer, ... NATHANIEL ROCHESTER.
Curator, ... FRANK F. WILLIAMS.
Directors CHARLES R. WILSON.
CHARLES CLIFTON.
ROBERT S. DONALDSON.
G. REED WILSON.
GANSON DEPEW (one year).
Real Estate Commissioner, . . RALPH PLUMB.
HOWARD H. BAKER,
ANDREW J. RICH,
GEORGE W. HAYWARD, } *Inspectors.*

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The retiring President, Mr. Ralph H. Plumb, then delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library: I am pleased to inform you that the litigations attending the settlement of the estate of the late Le Grand Marvin are over, and the Library in possession of its interest as residuary legatee. The various amounts and time of payments on this account are as follows:

July 1, 1891, cash, ...	$4,000.00
November 14, 1891, cash, ...	4,999.04
" " " ten mortgages, amounting to	11,083.00
" " " deed, conveying one lot on Chicago Street, estimated, ...	1,885.00
Total, ...	$21,967.04

In addition to this sum, the Library received on account of judgment $9,255.54, and a bequest for life memberships of $5,000.00, making the total receipts from this estate $36,222.58. $17,063.03 of this fund is now in bank, and in my estimation should be promptly invested in six per cent. securities.

The expenditures during the past year have been unusually heavy, largely on account of the Iroquois Hotel, where we found that it was absolutely necessary to increase our steam plant, not only in order to meet the present requirements, but to prevent injury to the old plant by undue use.

The expenditures on account of Hotel property have been as follows:

Eagle Street paving tax, in full,	$1,128.12
One-fifth of Main Street sewer tax,	172.92
Local tax,	27.23
Insurance,	494.98
Water purifiers for boilers,	800.00
One Babcock & Wilcox boiler,	1,910.43
Expense of masonry and piping attending the changes in steam plant,	3,458.63
Covering for boilers and steam pipes,	282.00
Repairs and incidental expenses,	1,016.71
	$9,291.02

All but $3,458.63 of which has been paid; but, to offset this, the two last bills on account of Hotel erection have been paid, amounting to $4,572.56. So that we have been called upon to expend in an unexpected quarter some $6,000.00, which need not be looked for during the coming year; and I am pleased to add that the $3,458.63 remaining on account of the changes above referred to, represents with one month's ordinary expenditures of the Library proper, the total floating indebtedness of the Library.

There was expended on account of the Library proper:

By the various committees,	$5,043.18
Salaries of employees,	6,453.79
Engineers, janitor and servants,	1,979.23
Repairs, supplies and local taxes,	2,682.56
	$16,158.76

Making the cost of maintenance about $1,000.00 greater than the previous year, which was largely owing to the necessary repairs to the roof, amounting to $934.90.

Although the receipts from memberships during the past year have not been what I had hoped, still they have not fallen below the largely increased receipts of the previous year. Indeed, are $61.02 greater, and if we add the very liberal donation of $1,000.00 from Messrs. Lewis & Moot, on account of which six life memberships were issued, they show a gain of $1,061.02.

There has been paid, during the season, $1,500.00 of back rent, or rent past due on January 1, 1891, but I regret to say there is back rent still unpaid to the amount of nearly $2,000.00.

That you may the more fully comprehend our probable resources and expenditures for the coming year, permit me to call your attention to the following statement:

RESOURCES.

Rent of Hotel proper,	$43,800.00	
Rent of Hotel stores,	9,124.99	
		$52,924.99
Rent of Clergy House,		1,220.00
Rent of Societies in Library building,		1,600.00
Rent of Lecture Room, estimated,		150.00
Memberships, estimated,		4,000.00
Interest on $37,500, Library Fund, at 6 per cent.,		2,250.00
Interest on $17,000, Library Fund, at 6 per cent., now uninvested,		1,020.00
Total,		$63,164.99

EXPENDITURES.

Fixed charges of interest,	$39,350.00
Expenses of Library proper, estimated,	15,000.00
Bills payable,	3,458,63
Estimated cost of exhaust pipe at Hotel,	350.00
Taxes, insurance and repairs, estimated,	2,000.00
To Sinking Fund,	1,500.00
Balance,	1,506.36
	$63,164.99

As I have included in the expenses of the Library proper the usual amount appropriated for the purchase of books, it really looks as though we could increase our expenditures in that direction to the amount of this balance of $1,500.00. Particularly so, as I am informed by Mr. David F. Day, counsel for Mrs. James F. Demarest, that on the 1st of July next Mrs. Demarest will pay the Library, by request of her late husband, the sum of $20,000.00. This most liberal donation will swell our annual income $1,200.00, the present year being increased by half this amount.

In closing, permit me to express the hope that the movement started the past year, to erect two tablets in the vestibule of the Library, which should properly acknowledge the various bequests and donations made the Library, be carried to a successful completion.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

Mr. Frank M. Hollister, the President-elect, then addressed the meeting, as follows:

Members of the Buffalo Library Association: My efficient predecessor, Mr. Plumb, has laid before you a statement of the financial affairs of the Buffalo Library at once so lucid and so comprehensive as to leave nothing to be said by me on that head. The imposing debt is a monument more enduring than brass, I fear, to the dauntless courage, broad views and untiring zeal of Presidents Smith, Richmond and Gorham, and other devoted friends of the Library, although this building itself and yonder hospitable pile will always silently, yet eloquently, commemorate their services. The Superintendent of the Library has also rehearsed the too meagre statistical history of the Library for the year past, showing how, as the retiring President has shown why, less money was spent on the primary object of the institution's existence than in any other of the past fifteen years. I need not apologize, therefore, I think, for saying little

or nothing about the business concerns of the Library this evening, or for confining my remarks mainly to the Library proper, its work, and the opportunities open for increasing its usefulness in this community.

It was my privilege to be a member of the Library Committee of this institution the year before the re-organization of its management, in 1878, and I have served in that Committee during many of the intervening years. I know and appreciate, as few can who have not been brought into close contact with the library work, the magnitude of the changes that have taken place in that time in the way of making the Library a power for good, a centre of light and leading in Buffalo. It is right that the members of the Association and the people of Buffalo should understand how much good work has been done here in spite of crippled resources and most discouraging limitations. A few weeks ago the most competent expert librarian in the United States, Mr. Melville Dewey, State Librarian and Secretary of the Board of Regents, addressing the Fortnightly Club in this room, declared his astonishment at the results accomplished in the Buffalo Library in proportion to the funds available for administrative purposes and the purchase of books. In a note to a local newspaper, a few days later, he said:

"With a wide familiarity with such matters, I am forced to say that I know of no library in the country that has made so excellent a reputation for its work, that is known so widely at home and abroad as one of the best administered American libraries, that is not spending a much greater sum. The Buffalo Library building is one of the marked successes of the country. When competent authorities have occasion to name the half dozen men capable of doing the best library work in the country, Mr. Larned's name is invariably among the number. With such a building and such a librarian, and a city which is becoming so famous for its growth and promise in the near future, you may understand my astonishment to learn of the pitifully small sum available for salaries, books, and administration expenses of an

institution that should be the special pride of all Buffalo. As I said last Friday night, four times its present income could be easily and economically expended, and I believe, from long study of the question, that it would pay men who took no personal interest in libraries as such, but who were looking only for the material prosperity of Buffalo, to see that this money was forthcoming, because it would add so much to the desirability of Buffalo as a place of residence, and a properly supported library, like good schools, has been proved to increase the value of real estate in any community."

I cite this competent testimony here as a matter of justice to our Library and its loyal Superintendent, leaving the pointed suggestions of the writer to the consideration of whom they may concern.

The Library Managers for the coming year will co-operate with the Real Estate Commissioners in a prudent administration of their important trust. They will not be able to do some things that need to be done, and that they would like to do; but if the field of their activities is restricted in some directions, let them remember that the usefulness of the Library can be extended indefinitely in others. I would like to see an organization formed in Buffalo this year, for one thing, in line with the University Extension movement, that had its first partial exemplification in this Library building three or four years ago, and is now, under the helpful auspices of the Regents of the University and the stimulating example of Chautauqua, developing centres in various parts of the State. It does not lie within the province of the Library to organize such a movement itself, or to incur any financial responsibility in connection therewith, yet, bearing in mind Mr. Dewey's dictum that "the Library is the corner stone of University Extension," the officers of this institution will not fail, I am sure, to co-operate with hearty goodwill in any effort organized by proper persons to establish a University Extension centre in Buffalo, and will welcome classes to its lecture rooms, and afford them very essential facilities for "laboratory work."

Such a course would be in harmony with the spirit that has come to be the ruling and inspiring force behind this popular institution, which is truly a centre of the humanities, in this community. It is in one sense as free a library as any in Buffalo or the State. Last year 104,000 books were drawn from its shelves for reading at home, by paying or voting members; but during the same time probably 100,000 volumes were read or consulted in the Library by persons, a majority of whom were non-members. The Study, a quiet and much frequented retreat, with its extensive store of books of reference, is open to all well disposed persons, while the Reading Room, where the best newspapers and periodicals of this country and Europe are kept on file, is thronged, week-days and Sundays, with serious readers, who enjoy their privileges without charge. The Library building, which is also the home of the Fine Arts Academy, the Historical Society and the Society of Natural Sciences, is one of the chief ornaments of a city not abounding in imposing structures, and the Hotel Iroquois is conceded to have proved a public benefaction. The Buffalo Library is no selfish, close corporation, but a broad-gauge, liberal, public-spirited institution, that has been a potent agency for good works in this city. It is a high honor, worthy the ambition of any Buffalonian, to take part in its government, and it should be a point of honor with any one chosen to serve its interests to do what he may towards adding a little something to the claim the Library has already established upon the active goodwill of the people of Buffalo.

In conclusion, I venture to express the hope that as time goes on, and as the beneficent uses of a great and virtually public library become more apparent, this noble and yet seriously hampered institution may gain a wider popular support. Nor need I hesitate to commend its needs and the example of recent benefactors like Mr. Tracy, Mr. Howard, Mr. Marvin and Mr. Demarest, to the goodwill of prosperous citizens. There can be no unworthy ulterior motive in making any appeal in behalf of the Buffalo Library, whose main, if not sole reason of existence is the spread of knowledge and the making of good citizens.

President Hollister then announced the Standing Committees for the ensuing year, as follows:

Library—Norton, Park, Williams, Marcy, Clifton.
Finance—Altman, Bissell, Gatchell, Donaldson, Rochester, (*ex-officio.*)
Law—Marcy, Teller, Depew, Gurney.
Membership—Gatchell, Gurney, G. R. Wilson.
By-Laws—Bissell, Altman, Clifton, Depew.
Lectures—G. R. Wilson, Bissell, Marcy.
Donations—Teller, Gurney, Gatchell.
Newspapers and Periodicals—Norton, Park, Williams, Marcy, Clifton.
Rooms and Fixtures—Ramsdell, Gurney, Donaldson.
Printing—Clifton, Depew, C. R. Wilson (*ex-officio.*)
Archives—Gurney, Ramsdell.
Auditor—Robert S. Donaldson.

The meeting then adjourned.

CHARLES R. WILSON,
Recording Secretary.

SYNOPSIS OF LIBRARY RULES.

Members may have two books at one time, or more by paying ten cents for each extra volume.

New books in much demand may be kept one week; other books, two weeks.

Charge for retention over time, three cents per day on each book.

Costly books and volumes in series, periodicals, etc., may be drawn under special conditions.

All injuries to books must be paid for.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

1. The privileges of the Buffalo Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library Building are *free* to all.

2. The Buffalo Library is open on Sundays from one o'clock to six o'clock P. M., and all are welcome.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Grand Rapids Public Library,	...	2
Green, Samuel S.,	...	1
Griffis, William Elliott, D. D., Boston,	...	1
Gutherie, S. S.,	25	...
Hamilton, Canada, Public Library,	...	1
Hartford Insurance Companies,	1	...
Hartford Library Association,	...	1
Harvard University,	1	2
Henderson, Alfred,	...	1
Hill, Hon. N. P.,	1	...
Hilton, N. J., Library,	...	1
Hoboken Free Public Library,	...	1
Hopkins, Hon. Nelson K.,	1	...
Hotchkiss, William Horace,	...	2
Howard, Prof. George E.,	...	1
Howard Memorial Library, New Orleans,	...	1
Illinois Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
Indiana Department of Statistics,	1	...
Indianapolis Public Library,	...	1
Jersey City Free Public Library,	...	6
Johns Hopkins University,	...	2
Jones, Rev. W. M.,	...	3
Kingman, W. L.,	...	1
Lafayette, Ind., Public Library,	...	1
Laughlin, Hon. John,	1	...
Lawrence, Mass., Free Public Library,	...	1
Leeds Public Library,	...	1
Lenox Library,	...	1
Lewis, Mrs. Elizabeth S.,	2	...
London Missionary Conference,	...	2
Long Island Historical Society,	...	3
Los Angeles Public Library,	1	2
Love, S. G.,	1	...
McLaughlin, J. T.,	1	...
Mason, Lewis D., M. D.,	...	2
Massachusetts Board of Railroad Commissioners,	1	...
Massachusetts Free Public Library Commission,	1	...
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,	...	2
Massachusetts State Almshouse, Tewksbury,	...	1
Massachusetts State Board of Arbitration,	1	...
Massachusetts State Farm,	...	1
Mercantile Register Publishing Co., Chicago,	1	...
Michigan Board of Charities and Corrections,	1	2
Milwaukee Public Library,	...	2
Minneapolis Public Library,	3	2
Minnesota Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
National Civil Service Reform League,	...	2

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
National Prison Association,	1	...
Nebraska State Historical Society,	...	1
New Bedford Board of Trade,	...	1
New Bedford Free Public Library,	...	1
New Jersey Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
New Jersey State Geologist,	1	...
Newark Free Public Library,	...	1
Newberry Library, Chicago,	...	1
Newburyport Public Library,	...	1
Newton, Mass., Free Library,	...	1
New York Central and Hudson River Railroad Company,	...	1
New York Church Mission to Deaf Mutes,	...	1
New York College for the Training of Teachers,	...	2
New York Forest Commission,	1	...
New York General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen,	...	1
New York State Asylum for Insane Criminals,	...	1
New York State Bureau of Labor Statistics,	2	...
New York State Civil Service Commission,	2	...
New York State Engineer and Surveyor,	1	...
New York State Factory Inspectors,	1	...
New York State Library,	...	2
New York State Railroad Commissioners,	2	...
New York State Reformatory, Elmira,	...	2
New York State Regents of the University,	...	9
New York State, Secretary of State,	4	...
New York Young Men's Christian Association,	...	2
Niagara University,	...	1
Nicaragua Canal Construction Co.,	...	2
Northwestern University,	...	1
Oberlin College Library,	...	1
Ohio Meterological Bureau,	...	1
Ohio State Forestry Bureau,	1	...
Olmsted, J. B.,	...	3
Open Court Publishing Co.,	1	...
Peterson, N. J., Free Public Library,	...	1
Peabody Institute, Baltimore,	...	2
Peabody Institute, Peabody, Mass.,	...	1
Peabody Museum,	...	1
Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery,	...	1
Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Art,	...	1
Philadelphia Apprentices' Library,	...	1
Philadelphia Art Club,	1	2
Philadelphia Library Company,	...	1
Philadelphia Mercantile Library,	...	1
Pohlman, Julius, M. D.,	...	9
Poole, William F., LL.D.,	...	1
Pott, James & Co., New York,	1	...

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Poughkeepsie Board of Education,	...	1
Pratt, Mrs. Charles S.,	...	1
Pratt Institute, Brooklyn,	...	3
Providence Athenæum,	...	1
Providence Public Library,	...	1
Reagan, William M., Minneapolis,	...	1
Reformed Episcopal Church Publication Society,	1	...
Remington, Cyrus K.,	1	...
Reynolds Library, Rochester,	...	2
Richardson, A. C.,	...	3
Richmond, Jewett M.,	82	...
Ripley, Mary A.,	...	2
Rochester University,	...	1
Rohlfs, Mrs. Charles,	1	...
St. Joseph, Mo., Public Library,	...	2
St. Louis Mercantile Library,	...	1
St. Louis Merchant's Exchange,	1	...
St. Louis Public Library,	...	1
Salem Public Library,	...	1
San Francisco Mercantile Library,	...	1
San Francisco Public Library,	1	1
Scoville, Hon. Jonathan,	2	...
Shepard, F. J.,	31	9
Slafter, Rev. Edmund F.,	...	1
Slicer, Rev. Thomas R.,	...	1
Smith, T. Guilford,	1	36
Smithsonian Institution,	3	...
Sons of the Revolution, Society of the	1	...
Spaulding, Hon. E. G.,	...	2
Springfield, Mass., City Library,	...	2
Stearns, George C,	1	...
Stillman, Horace,	1	...
Stockton, Lewis,	...	12
Swift, Morrison I.,	1	...
Taunton Public Library,	...	1
Thiry, J. H., Long Island City,	...	1
Thomas Asylum,	...	1
Tokyo Library, Japan,	...	1
Toronto Public Library,	1	2
United States, Agriculture, Department of	5	...
United States Coast and Geodetic Survey,	2	...
United States, Currency, Comptroller of	1	...
United States, Education, Commissioner of	1	1
United States Fish Commission,	2	...
United States Geological Survey,	2	...
United States, Indian Affairs, Commissioner of	1	...
United States, Indian Commissioners, Board of	2	...

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
United States, Interior, Department of	18	...
United States Interstate Commerce Commission,	1	...
United States, Labor, Department of	2	...
United States Mint, Director of the	1	...
United States Nautical Almanac Office,	2	...
United States, Navigation, Bureau of	1	...
United States Navy Department,	1	1
United States, Patents, Commissioner of	1	...
United States, Pensions, Commissioner of	...	1
United States Signal Office,	1	...
United States, State, Department of	1	...
United States, Statistics, Bureau of	2	...
United States Surgeon General's Office,	1	...
United States War Department,	4	...
Urban & Co.,	1	...
Waterhouse, Prof. S.,	...	1
Willard, Mary R,	...	1
Willis, Albert L., New York,	1	...
Wilmington, Del., Institute,	...	1
Wisconsin State Historical Society,	...	1
Worcester, Mass., Free Public Library,	...	1
Worder Public Library, Springfield, O.,	...	1
World's Congress Auxilliary, Chicago,	...	1
Würtele, Arthur S. C.,	...	2
Yale University,	1	1
Young Men's Christian Associations International Com.,	1	...
Zielinski, J. De,	2	...
	346	325

Periodicals and Occasional Publications.

American Iron and Steel Institute Bulletin.
American McAll Association Record for the year.
American Philosophical Society Proceedings.
Boston Public Library Bulletins.
Buffalo Christian Advocate (file for binding).
Buffalo Commercial Advertiser (file for binding).
Buffalo Daily Courier (file for binding).
Buffalo Daily Times.
Buffalo Demokrat (file for binding).
Buffalo Evening News (file for binding).
Buffalo Express (file for binding).
Buffalo Freie Presse (file for binding).
Buffalo Medical and Surgical Journal.
Buffalo Sunday Truth.
Buffalo Volksfreund.

Bulletin Continental.
Catholic Union and Times.
Chicago Public Library Bulletins.
Chicago, World's Columbian Exposition, all publications.
Christian Register.
Chronicle, The (Franklinville).
Civil Service Chronicle.
Civil Service Record.
Congressional Record.
Cornell University Agricultural Bulletins.
Cornell University Library Bulletins.
Countersign, The (74th Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y.)
Dental Advertiser.
Denver Public Library Bulletins.
East Side News (Buffalo).
Educator, The (Buffalo).
Electrical Enterprise.
Erie County Independent.
Essex Institute Bulletins.
Hartford Seminary Record.
Harvard University Bibliographical Contributions.
Harvard University Bulletins.
Horse Gazette (Buffalo).
Hotel Mail.
Iron Industry Gazette (McFaul & Nolan).
Jewelers' Weekly.
Johns Hopkins University Circulars.
Keokuk Post.
Keystone, The (Homœopathic Hospital, Buffalo).
Le Couteulx Leader.
Literary News.
Living Church.
Lumber World (McFaul & Nolan).
New York Regents of the University Bulletins and other Publications.
New York State Library Bulletins.
Ogontz Mosaic.
Omaha Daily Bee.
Our Record (Home for the Friendless, Buffalo).
Philadelphia Library Bulletins.
Philadelphia Library Co. Bulletins.
Phonetic Journal.
Real Estate and Financial News (Buffalo).
Revue de Morale Progressive.
Salem Public Library Bulletins.
Shield.
Smithsonian Institution (contributions in parts).
Street Railway Review.

Travelers' Record.
Triumphs of Faith.
United States Census Bulletins.
United States Consular Reports.
United States, Education, Bureau of, Circulars of Information.
United States, Geographical Names, Board on, Bulletins.
United States Patent Office Gazette.
University Extension.
Valley City, North Dakota, Times-Record.
Voice, The (Funk & Wagnall's).
Warren County Library, Monmouth, Ill., Bulletins.
Westfield Republican.
Young Men's Christian Association Bulletins.

Other Gifts.

Brown, J. V., ... 2 Maps.
Committee of the Polish Citizens of Buffalo, ... Medal Commemorating the Polish Constitution.
Smith, Chauncey P., ... 2 newspapers, of 1790 and 1799.
United States Geographical Survey, ... 2 Maps.
United States War Department, . . . Atlas to Accompany Official Records of the War of the Rebellion (in parts).

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

Some of the friends of the Buffalo Library, who have in mind the generous thought of enlarging its very limited endowment by gift or bequest, may wish to do so in a specific way, for the benefit of such departments of literature as interest them most. Where this is the desire, there seems to be no objection to the founding of Special Funds — named for the givers, or as they may direct — the income of which shall be appropriated wholly to the purchase of books, etc., in designated classes and lines. The following are mentioned as departments in the Library which might advantageously receive especial endowment in the suggested mode:

The Fine Arts, graphic and plastic, including Architecture.
Music.
Mechanic Arts and Manufactures — Engineering.
Chemistry — Chemical Technology, including Metallurgy and the working of Metals.
Medicine, Surgery, and the Biological and Hygienic Sciences connected with them.
Natural History, including Geology and Mineralogy.
Mathematics and Astronomy.
Politics and Political and Social Economy.
Philosophy.
Theology.
Greek and Roman Classical Literature.
Books in the German Language.
Books in the French Language.
American History, especially Family and Town and County History.

FORM OF A SPECIAL BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation, located at the City of Buffalo, New York, the sum of..... Dollars, which sum I desire that the said Library shall preserve by proper investment as a perpetual fund, to be known as The Fund, the yearly income thereof, and no more, to be expended annually in the purchase of books, periodicals, prints, maps, or other works relating to subjects connected with.....

FORM OF A GENERAL BEQUEST.

I do hereby give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, the sum of..... Dollars.

FORM OF DEVISE.

I do hereby give, devise and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, and to its successors and assigns forever,

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated, etc.

PAST HISTORY OF THE ASSOCIATION IN TABULAR FORM.

Year.	Paid for Books and Binding.	Paid for papers, periodicals, etc.	Volumes added.	Periodicals and papers taken.	Members elected and paid.	Honorary Members.	Life Members elected.	No. of Paying Members.	Rate of Initiation.	Rate of Dues.	Debt of the Association.	Volumes drawn from Library.	Initiation and Dues.	Cash donations including life membership.	Net Receipts from lectures.	Amount left in Treasury.	Amount of Library Fund.	PRESIDENTS.
1836	$2,102.87	$730.00	2,700	102	400		44	400	$2.00	$2.00	$300.00	5,500	$1,234.00	$3,787.00	Free.	$189.15		Seth C. Hawley.
1837	653.13	341.00	86	45	82	8	16	304	2.00	5.00	2,484.00	7,500	1,010.74	1,425.00	Free.	198.19		Seth C. Hawley.
1838	140.51	378.00	no acc	45	53			303	2.00	5.00	2,075.00	6,300	1,121.00	484.00	Free.	78.16		George E. Hayes.
1839		250.00	none.	27	35			195	2.00	5.00	1,976.00	6,600	1,047.00	297.75	$ 4.50	69.47		Edward Norton.
1840	36.00	323.00	128	28	28		22	124	2.00	5.00	803.00	6,400	675.75	1,253.00	10.00	3.84		Walter Joy.
1841	148.40	284.90	81	33	281	1	7	407	2.00	5.00	408.62	10,400	1,352.00	418.00	35.69	63.64		Warren Bryant.
1842	103.56	289.00	122	36	90			401	1.00	3.00	370.04	11,100	1,292.00	35.50	2.00	273.23		W. L. G. Smith.
1843	84.30	158.00	248	42	57			271	1.00	3.00	481.53	9,000	868.75	53.00	7.00	164.74		W. H. Greene.
1844	73 48	204.33	20	no acc	40		1	278	1.00	3.00	545.78	8,000	878.87	52.00	No Lec.	16.75		Jabez B. Bull.
1845	427.00	140.00	385	21	64			458	1.00	3.00		8,200	1,444.44	248.28	162.90	367.93		Gibson T. Williams.
1846	159.82	208.95	155	no acc	63		1	400	1.00	3.00		9,250	1,263.25	51.25	144.47	571.39		Samuel T. Atwater.
1847	574.99	209.54	420	43	133		3	475	1.00	3.00		10,600	1,556.56	378.75	31.20	603.38		Thomas C. Welch.
1848	231.97	233.96	170	41	134	1		398	1.00	3.00		14,200	1,327.62	227.46	20.77	466.12		James Sheldon.
1849	320.04	190.07	199	31	132	1		445	1.00	3.00		12,000	1,467.12	260.42		546.75		Isaac Sherman.
1850	245.00	196.82	228	30	72	3		397	1.00	3.00		9,477	1,262.18	60.00	18.41	349.36		Chas. D. Norton.
1851	382.43	198.76	75	34	276	1	4	797	1.00	3.00		11,600	2,664.60	1,494.00	392.29	1,900.44		J. M. Hutchinson.
1852	796.67	196.87	918	48	266	2	1	814	1.00	3.00		14,440	2,708.36	85.00	152.34	2,038.98		James L. Butler.
1853	1,345.14	202.49	576	52	254	1	1	838	1.00	3.00		19,229	2,769.25	160.50	691.93	2,954.77		Bronson C. Rumsey.
1854	1,618.00	245.51	857	55	184	9	1	853	1.00	3.00		22,995	2,743.63	50.00	380.37	2,214.11		Wells D. Walbridge.
1855	730.88	233.21	679	55	344	9	3	1,070	1.00	3.00		22,793	3,524.74	150.00	271.69	3,040.53	$1,150.00	Alex. W. Harvey.
1856	2,068.41	238.45	1,289	55	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,830	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	1,200.00	John G. Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	105	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer.
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,647.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	2,500.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682.76	2,800.00	Wm. Fleming.
1860	487.69	186.44	543	50	183		6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736.93	2,850.00	David F. Day.
1861	241.80	279.53	277	55	116	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	3,200.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,212.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,300.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23.281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,628.57	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633.81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.35	5,206.43	8,288.65	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1,091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285.44	5,650.00	8,500.00	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,800.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,755	1.00	3.00	39,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	10,100.00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9,212.05	11,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,897.94	656.08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	13,300.00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.64	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,950.00	Geo. S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.72	700.00	1,144.39	3,702.62	19,750.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768.48	894	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176.40	4,493.34	20,050.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717.23	20,350.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,557.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4,009.75	300.00		2,107.42	20,735.04	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959.25	200.00		3,541.23	20,935.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737.02	21,035.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,355.60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	72,832	4,107.25	100.00		1,738.02	21,085.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660.24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,385.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,435.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,129.04	21,835.04	Wilson H. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		1,098.76	22,085.04	Charles A. Sweet.
1882	4,519.81	643.00	2,794	111	422	6	6	1,776		3 00	10,500.00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550.00		431.94	22,033.74	Henry Bull.
1883	4,260.71	690.12	3,085	108	337	2	371	1,814		3 00		99,108	4,071.60			1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	116	334		406			3 00		96,113	3,873.00			1,202.86	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,647 14	646.71	3,672	133	327		95	1,369		3 00		84,918	3,144.00			1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,147 97	625.68	4,522	154	337	2		1,503		3.00	285,000.00	99,943	2,017.09			599 38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	3,724 35	800.51	3,191	173	600	2		1,614		3 00		89,935	3,667.75	124,879.25			22,184.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1888	3,308.81	637.17	2,827	191	901		8	2,178		3.00		100,136	4,406.49				22,184.74	George Gorham.
1889	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	427	1	6	1,881		3 00	955,000.00	108,600	2,893 85	9,700.00		15,772.00	31,883.74	Daniel H. McMillan.
1890	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	Philo D. Beard.

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HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 27, 1893.

The President, Mr. Frank M. Hollister, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

Upon motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

To the Buffalo Library:

The Library Committee can do little more than emphasize the report of the Superintendent, which so graphically shows the opportunity offered to make this institution a powerful educational factor in this community, but which must fail, because we have not the necessary funds to carry on the work. Probably no one thing in late years has done more to advance the material interests of the City of Buffalo than has the erection of the magnificent Hotel Iroquois; but, without exaggeration, it may be said that it has failed to benefit the Library to any appreciable extent; on the contrary, it has created in the minds of the majority of our citizens the impression that it yields an abundant income for all wants of the Library, which impression seems to have prevented the assistance we so sorely need. It should be borne in mind that the interest upon the enormous debt necessarily incurred in giving these stately buildings to the city, together with the cost of their maintenance, has in each year eaten up the income derived therefrom.

Do our public-spirited citizens know that the Buffalo Library has less money to spend for books and periodicals than similar institutions in cities of far less wealth, and much smaller in size than Buffalo. The latest reports show that the Library at Springfield, Mass., in 1891-92, expended $6,348 for this purpose; in Newark, N. J., the sum of $6,272 was expended; in Worcester, Mass., $9,567; Detroit, Mich., $12,515; Milwaukee, Wis., $9,076. What a pitiful showing does the Buffalo Library make, situated in this important and wealthy city of nearly 300,000 inhabitants, when it advertises the fact that it expended during the year ending February 1st, 1893, but the sum of $3,168.84 for this purpose, and that it is so crippled for lack of means that it has been obliged practically to abandon that progressive feature which invited readers to examine a carefully

made selection of the newest publications. Buffalo spends $3,168.84, while Baltimore devoted about $24,000; Cincinnati more than $10,000; and Chicago upwards of $19,000, to aid the intellectual development of their citizens. Can it be expected that our Library will ever occupy a position among like institutions, to which we can point with pride, if it is to be tied down to any such insignificant annual income as it now commands?

A large increase in the life membership would increase the fund devoted to the purchase of books, as would also an exceedingly large addition to the list of annual members; but the most effective way to aid in putting the Library on a live footing (aside from the payment of the debt, which seems at present impracticable) would be by donations from public-spirited citizens to the Library fund, to be used exclusively for the purposes of that fund. The practice has been lately adopted of placing, with appropriate inscriptions, the names of donors to that fund in those books which have been purchased through the instrumentality of the respective donations, thus publicly acknowledging and bearing perpetual testimony to the liberality of the giver.

Something must be done immediately if our Library is to do credit to this community, for instead of increasing in effectiveness, with the growth and power of the city, we have been crippled by a decrease in the amount available for adding to the Library, for the last decade.

Your Committee respectfully presents this frank statement of the condition of the Library in the hope that it may induce some effective steps towards the much needed relief.

BUFFALO, February 27th, 1893.

PORTER NORTON,
FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
CHARLES CLIFTON,
Library Committee.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Curators of the Library and Members of the Library Committee.

GENTLEMEN: Two important facts in the history of the Library during the past year oppose one another painfully. One is the occurrence of a remarkable increase in the public demands upon it; the other is a continued narrowing of the means which it possesses for meeting those demands.

Our circulation of books within the year has been greater by more than 10,000 volumes than it was in the previous twelve months; the use in our reading-rooms of books specially called for has been greater by 5,000 volumes; while the use made of reference books from the open shelves—of which no account can be kept—has certainly increased even more in proportion.

The enlargement of circulation has been greater in fiction (including juvenile fiction) than in other classes, having advanced to nearly 71 per cent. against 69 per cent. in the previous year. But History, Biography, Natural Science and Social Science show absolute though not relative gains. The detailed statistics of circulation are tabulated in the appendix to this report.

The growing use of the Library has had little to invite or stimulate it in the offering of attractive new books. Our purchases have numbered no more than 1887 volumes. This shows a slight increase over the purchases of last year, but the increase was at the beginning of the season, when expectations of an improved income were entertained. Since those expectations faded, during the later months of the year, the additions made to the Library have been pinched to the last degree.

By gift we have received 675 volumes, mostly public documents from the Department of the Interior at Washington, importantly filling past deficiencies in our documentary series, for reference use, but adding little to our store of readable books.

The narrowed circumstances of the Library have forced the abandonment or suspension of many desirable undertakings—among them the attractive offering of a few selected new books,

in duplicate copies kept out of circulation, to give readers an opportunity to turn their leaves and look them through, or sit with them for a leisure hour in "The Nook." The books now in "The Nook" are still being read, but they no longer belong among the "newer books" of the day. They are fast acquiring age, and I have not ventured for some months past to recruit their ranks. A few hundred dollars a year would make "The Nook" a feature of The Buffalo Library very charming to many visitors; but I fear that it will be extinguished by our poverty, if some good friend does not endow it.

The 600 free tickets issued to pupils in the public schools, giving the use of the library without membership, are being used to better advantage year by year, and have become an important factor in the educational work of the schools. I am convinced, as I have urged before, that it would be for the advantage of the Library, as well as for that of the public, to double the number of tickets given.

The checking of the Library in July, after an interval of a year and a half, showed a loss of 40 volumes of books other than novels, only 5 volumes of which were reference books from the open cases in The Study. Proportionately this is less than the loss revealed by the checking of the previous year. Of novels, 87 were not accounted for. Our losses occur mostly, without doubt, at the delivery counter, where books in quantity are looked over and selected from. Often without intention, probably, and sometimes with intention, they are carried away uncharged, and, through carelessness or otherwise, more or less of them are not returned. We should lose but a small number if we denied requests at the counter for "a few of the new books to look at," but we should grieve and offend most of our members. It is better, I think, to sustain the losses we do than to abridge the privileges of readers.

The usual statistics of the Library are appended.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED,
Superintendent.

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FIFTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

FIFTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 27, 1893.

The President, Mr. Frank M. Hollister, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

Upon motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

APPENDIX A.

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1893.

Subjects	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy, . .	75	105	86	75	59	43	71	77	73	58	65	56	843	.0073
Religion, . . .	133	133	108	80	74	78	90	122	102	118	152	151	1,341	.0114
Social Science, .	211	220	159	132	100	89	134	158	243	266	186	213	2,111	.0184
Language, . .	17	14	27	17	17	7	9	12	17	30	22	20	209	.0018
Natural Science,	227	265	220	176	133	97	124	169	234	219	188	194	2,246	.0197
Useful Arts, . .	79	127	97	85	80	87	84	127	147	135	120	131	1,299	.0114
Fine Arts, . . .	154	205	202	141	136	84	90	126	173	172	196	211	1,890	.0165
Gen'l Literature,	806	945	864	693	529	561	559	681	835	903	902	961	9,239	.0805
Juvenile Fiction,	900	1,136	971	778	707	770	774	755	957	1,017	1,032	1,007	10,804	.0942
Fiction, ...	5,613	6,635	6,332	5,938	4,900	5,789	5,713	5,589	5,915	6,026	5,890	6,263	70,603	.6154
Travel, ...	351	380	363	244	220	209	186	253	293	371	337	390	3,597	.0313
Biography, . .	451	824	332	306	208	230	229	296	415	490	394	503	4,278	.0373
History, . . .	580	576	502	489	380	340	377	472	653	654	592	644	6,259	.0548
Totals, . .	9,597	11,165	10,203	9,154	7,543	8,384	8,440	8,837	10,057	10,459	10,076	10,744	114,719	1.0000
Books used in the Library for reference.	2,797	3,312	2,788	2,023	1,424	1,645	1,765	2,137	2,782	2,795	2,583	2,899	28,950	

APPENDIX B.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net. Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography, ...	74	744	1,251
General Cyclopædias, ...	14	287	...
General Periodicals, ...	43	1,372	21
Polygraphy, etc., ...	7	248	14
Philosophy, ...	48	1,328	300
Religion, ...	100	5,117	373
Law, Politics, Political Economy, etc., ...	429	5,874	1,064

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Education,	36	729	581
Commerce,	35	887	657
Statistics,	16	504	45
Other Social Subjects,	29	774	253
Philology,	36	550	27
Natural Science,	121	3,792	281
Useful Arts,	145	3,610	563
Fine Arts,	78	2,285	127
Literary Periodicals,	100	3,653	...
English Poetry, Criticism, etc.,	156	4,534	71
English Prose Fiction,	582	10,888	4
German Poetry, etc.,	12	511	...
German Prose Fiction,	9	762	...
French Poetry, etc.,	23	768	12
French Prose Fiction,	47	1,060	1
Italian Literature,	5	162	2
Spanish Literature,	7	99	...
Greek and Latin Literature,	10	419	2
Other Literature,	7	436	3
Travel and Description,	95	4,531	158
Travel: Maps (410),	16		...
Biography,	126	5,138	230
History: American	94	2,739	394
History: Other Countries,	138	4,547	96
Local History and Literature,	41	1,088	1,979
New Books, (duplicate copies reserved from circulation),	...	21	
		69,457	8,509
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		1,026	
		70,483	

Added during the year:

By purchase,	1,887	
By gift,	675	
By binding	201	
By exchange,	13	
	2,776	
Maps,	16	
	2,792	

Expended for books,	$2,374.32
Expended for binding,	1,081.05

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

To the Board of Managers of the Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals would report that there have been on file in the reading room as follows:

Daily Newspapers,	25
Weekly Newspapers,	61
Fortnightlies,	3
Bi-monthlies,	4
Monthlies,	80
Quarterlies,	23
Occasionals,	7
Total,	203

making a total of 203, of which 127 are paid for, and 76 are received as gifts; 151 of these periodicals are bound for preservation; the files of the remainder are kept one year for reference and then disposed of.

There has been expended for newspapers and periodicals the sum of $794.52.

Respectfully submitted,

PORTER NORTON,
Chairman.

DONATIONS.

Your Committee on Donations respectfully report that there have been received from various sources by the Library during the year, 658 volumes of books and 355 pamphlets, besides sundry periodicals and other publications and gifts, a full list of which, together with the names of the donors, is submitted herewith.

Deserving mention is made of valuable government publications from the United States Departments of State, Treasury and Interior, the United States Bureaus of Education and American Republics, and the United States Geological Survey, reports from the Smithsonian Institute Bureau of Ethnology, New York State Secretary of State and New York State Library, the

World's Columbian Exposition for complete publications of pamphlets, circulars, maps and views; valuable Canadian Public Documents from John Charlton, Esq., M. P.; three volumes of valuable autographs from Mrs. Charlotte A. Watson, and miscellaneous volumes from the Hon. E. G. Spaulding, George Gorham, S. T. Atwater and Rev. W. M. Jones.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE R. TELLER,
GEO. S. GATCHELL,
CHAS. L. GURNEY,
Committee on Donations.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

N. ROCHESTER, *Treasurer, in account with* THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance as per last report,		$ 172.59
Dues,	$4,271.62	
Fines,	767.95	
Rent of Books,	173.14	
Books sold,	31.27	
Bulletins sold,	2.10	
Magazines sold,	5.35	
Finding Lists sold,	21.60	
Waste Paper sold,	.56	
Use of Telephone	.20	
		5,273.79
Transfer from Sinking Fund,		3,000.00
Bequest of Wm. Moffat, deceased,		500.00
Real Estate Commissioners,		6,050.00

Library Fund Interest Account:

Interest on O'Grady Mortgage,	33.00
" " Burke "	7.88
" " Masterson "	32.25
" " Delehanty "	51.16
" " O'Mara "	82.80
" " Bassil "	25.25
" " McGowan "	52.50
" " Quinlivin "	60.00
" " Barzancki "	52.02
" " Arend "	30.00

Interest on Kankiewicz "	$ 47.10	
" " Josefiak "	32.03	
" " Norton "	60.00	
" " Folinsbee "	60.00	
" " Rataiczak "	36.00	
" " Curtiss "	180.00	
" " $ 7,500 Note,	162.50	
" " 7,000 "	268.33	
" " 10,000 "	600.00	
" " 20,000 "	1,200.00	
" " Library Fund Cash Account,	338.66	
Rent of 182 Chicago Street,	45.00	
		$ 3,456.48
		$18,452.86

DISBURSEMENTS.

Redeemed V. M. A. Bond and four coupons,		$ 60.00
Paid Election Expenses, 1892,		75.00
Paid on $60,000 Mortgage,		3,000.00
Paid on $7,500 Note,		500.00
Transferred to Credit of Sinking Fund,		1,500.00
Paid Interest on $7,500 Note,	$ 162.50	
Paid Interest on $7,000 Note,	268.33	
Paid Interest on Overdraft at Bank,	1.75	
		432.58
Paid Accrued Interest on Mortgages Purchased for Library Fund,	203.78	
On Account Library Committee for:		
Books,	2,374.32	
Binding,	1,081.05	
		3,659.15
Expenses,	193.87	
Salaries,	6,670.21	
		6,864.08
On Account Rooms and Fixtures Committee,	369.86	
On Account Newspapers and Periodicals Committee,	794.52	
On Account Printing Committee,	262.40	
On Account Law Committee,	50.00	
		1,476.78
Balance on hand,		885.27
		$18,452.86

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance as per last report,	$3,040.00
Interest on Bank Account,	25.00
Rec'd from Treas. Buffalo Library,	1,500.00
	$4,565.00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Treas. Buffalo Library to pay on 3d Mortgage,	$3,000,00	
Balance on hand,	1,565.00	
		4,565.00
		$4.565.00

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

CASH ACCOUNT OF THE LIBRARY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at last report,		$17,063.03
Payments on Investments:		
On O'Grady Mortgage,	$100.00	
On Burke "	200.00	
On Masterson "	250.00	
On O'Mara "	330.00	
On Bassil "	170.00	
On McGowan "	480.00	
On Kankiewicz "	50.00	
On Quinlivan "	500.00	
On Barzancki "	25.00	
		2,105.00
$7,500 Note,		500.00
From Life Memberships:		
Miss Esther Glenny,	50.00	
C. D. Zacher,	50.00	
A. C. Esenwein,	50.00	
Wm. H. Hotchkiss,	50.00	
E. R. Rice,	50.00	
G. V. Forman,	50.00	
Wm. A. Rogers,	50.00	
G. G. Blake,	50.00	
P. H. Griffin,	50.00	
		450.00
Bequest Rob't P. Wilson, deceased,		5,000.00
		$25,118.03

DISBURSEMENTS.

Purchased 1st Mortgage	W. Ratajczak,	$1,200.00	
" "	S. Barzencki,	867.00	
" "	S. Kankiewicz,	1,570.00	
" "	L. F. W. Arend,	500.00	
" "	Geo. Norton,	2,000.00	
" "	H. D. Folinsbee,	2,000.00	
" "	Jas. McBurney,	4,000.00	
Loaned on "	to Mary L. Curtiss,	6,000.00	
			$18,137.00
Balance on hand,			6,981.03
			$25,118.03

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

THE LIBRARY FUND CONSISTS OF

Note of The Buffalo Library for		$ 7,000.00	
" " " "		10,000.00	
" " " "		20,000.00	
			$37,000.00
Real Estate, 182 Chicago street, valued at			1,885.00
Cash on hand as reported above,			6,981.03
First Mortgage	L. F. W. Arend,	500.00	
" "	W. Ratajczak,	1,200.00	
" "	S. Kankiewicz,	1,520.00	
" "	M. Quinlivin,	500.00	
" "	H. Bassil,	246.00	
" "	P. O'Mara,	1,100.00	
" "	J. Delahanty,	822.00	
" "	E. Masterson,	350.00	
" "	Geo. Norton,	2,000.00	
" "	H. D. Folinsbee,	2,000.00	
" "	Jas. McBurney,	4,000.00	
" "	J. O'Grady,	500.00	
" "	P. McGowan,	545.00	
" "	S. Barzancki,	842.00	
" "	Mary L. Curtiss,	6,000.00	
			22,125.00
			$67,991.03

I have examined the within named securities and find them to agree with the statement.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Real Estate Account.

Receipts.

Balance on hand as per last report,		$10,660.91
Account for maintenance of the building from the Historical Society,		500.00
Rent of Clergy House Building,	$1,220.00	
" Lecture Room,	125.00	
" Gas to the Society of Natural Sciences,	20.54	
		1,365.54
" 361 Main street,	2,400.00	
" 363 " "	2,000.00	
" 367 " "	1,800.00	
" 369 " "	3,000.00	
" Iroquois Hotel,	43,800.00	
		53,000.00
Interest on Bank Account,		68.26
		$65,594.71

Disbursements.

Library Building, Account:		
Fuel,	$ 1,467.56	
Local Taxes,	80.21	
Supplies and Repairs,	376.02	
Engineer's Wages,	1,020.00	
Janitor's "	730.70	
Insurance Premiums,	115.00	
Water,	21.68	
		$ 3,811.17
Iroquois Hotel Account:		
Main street Sewer Connections,	309.19	
" " " Tax Balance,	740.07	
Insurance Premiums,	270.00	
" " Plate Glass,	67.98	
Bills Payable Irlbacker & Davis,	1,775.95	
" " C. Berrick,	1,672.01	
Aug. Esenwein, Services,	150.00	
Buffalo Storage & Carting Co.,	79.93	
Irlbacker & Davis,	624.04	
Hager & Feist,	937.29	
Machwirth,	139.80	
G. W. Tifft, Sons & Co.,	139.35	
Geo. Jones' Sons,	24.50	
Chas. Berrick,	29.83	
Chretien,	170.75	
Morton,	192.00	
		7,322.69

Paid Treasurer Buffalo Library,		$6,050.00
Paid Interest on Mortgages to		
Buffalo Savings Banks,	21,000.00	
Second Mortgage Coupons,	12,512 50	
Third Mortgage, G. L. Williams,	3,510.00	
On $10,000 Note,	600.00	
On $20,000 "	1,200.00	
		38,822.50
Balance on hand,		9,588.35
		$65,594.71

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct. H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

The rent of the hotel and of the stores in the hotel building have been promptly paid by the tenants.

The leases of the stores expire May 1st, 1894.

The Clergy House rent has been paid to April 1st, 1893.

The Historical Society pay their proportion of the expenses of heating and maintaining the building each year.

The Fine Arts Academy, under the compromise made in 1890, are not liable for assessment for expenses of "heating and maintenance" till Nov. 1st of the present year, at which date they again will have to bear their proportion of the care, etc., of the building.

I regret to report that the Society of Natural Sciences seem to make no effort to pay their proportion of the expenses of the building, and are in arrears for over five years. They now owe to the Buffalo Library $2,550.

With the very limited income of the Buffalo Library, it is not right that this society should continue to force us to bear their expenses any longer. The Society is in receipt of dues and subscriptions, its current expenses cannot be large, and unless they make a settlement before the 1st of May next, a new tenant should be obtained, who would pay, and to that extent lighten the load under which the Library is being stifled.

NATHANIEL ROCHESTER,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

To the Buffalo Library:

Expenditure upon the Hotel property of the Library has been much greater the past year than was anticipated. It has included a payment of the entire remainder of the Main Street Sewer tax, only one-fifth of which was expected to fall within the year. It has likewise included an unavoidable expenditure exceeding one thousand dollars for the sealing up of spaces opened between window-casings and walls by shrinkage of the woodwork. Other repairs and corrections of defects, in the roof and elsewhere, which were found to be imperative by your Board, have augmented the expenditure not anticipated or calculated upon to about $3,000.

On the other hand, the payments of the year cover more than $4,000 of expenditure that was actually incurred in the previous year, including $3,447.96 on notes that were given in 1891 to contractors for the placing of the new boiler in position.

It is a matter of great regret that so considerable a part of the income of the property is demanded year after year for its proper maintenance; but there seems to be, as yet, no escape from such demands. For the coming year, they seem likely to be rather increased than diminished. It is found that the chimney of the building is undoubtedly inadequate to its requirements, and it is probable that a heavy outlay will be made necessary by that fact. The paving of Main Street, moreover, is to be expected, involving a considerable tax; and, on the whole, the net income that will become available for library uses does not promise to be much larger for the next year than it has been for the past.

In the farther future, there is no present indication of costly expenditure to be required, and we may hope that none will arise; but it is impossible to predict with certainty in such a matter. We can only give the assurance that your Board will maintain the severest economy that is consistent with a prudent

maintenance of your property and a wise regard for its reputation.

Full particulars of receipts and expenditures appear in the Treasurer's report.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH H. PLUMB,
GEORGE J. SICARD,
PHILO D. BEARD,
FRANK M. HOLLISTER,
NATHANIEL ROCHESTER.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed inspectors for the election of Officers and Directors of the Buffalo Library, held in the Library building, on Tuesday, the 14th day of February, A. D., 1893, do hereby certify that at the said election the following named persons received, severally, the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

George B. Hayes, for President,	201
Peter P. Burtis, for Treasurer,	203
John J. Albright, for Curator,	204
Joseph P. Dudley, for Director,	152
Charles E. Walbridge, for Director,	103
Frederick Almy, for Director,	106
George L. Williams, for Director,	141
Fred C. M. Lautz, for Director,	83
Porter Norton, for Director,	151
John J. McWilliams, for Director,	93
George S. Gatchell, for Director,	107
Edward H. Movius, for Real Estate Commissioner,	84
Charles B. Wheeler, for Real Estate Commissioner,	65

And we further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several

offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President, ... GEORGE B. HAYES.
Treasurer, ... PETER P. BURTIS.
Curator, ... JOHN J. ALBRIGHT.
Managers, ... JOSEPH P. DUDLEY, GEORGE L. WILLIAMS, PORTER NORTON, GEORGE S. GATCHELL.
Real Estate Commissioner, . . EDWARD H. MOVIUS.

HOWARD H. BAKER, HENRY BULL, CHARLES R. WILSON, *Inspectors.*

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The retiring President, Mr. Frank M. Hollister, then delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library: In the four years, 1888–91 inclusive, the circulation of the Buffalo Library increased at the rate of 1,000 volumes per annum, from 100,136 to 104,244. In the year just ended the circulation advanced with the steady monthly gains to 114,719, a total greater by 10,000 volumes than that of any preceding year. The Superintendent reports also that the number of books given out for use in the Library rooms during the past year exceeds any previous record by 5,000 volumes and that the number of persons consulting books of reference in The Study has been much larger than usual. I call your attention to these gratifying facts, first of all, because it is well for you and especially for the managers of this institution to bear in mind that the original and true purpose of its existence is to collect, maintain, and make as widely useful as possible, a library. The figures quoted above show that in its own proper sphere the Buffalo Library is to-day doing decidedly more

and better work than ever before in its history, and yet, as the Treasurer's and Library Committee's reports testify, with means pitifully small and inadequate.

For it cannot be too strongly impressed upon the citizens of Buffalo, who owe much to this institution, that it is carrying nearly a million of dollars of indebtedness, and that the repairs, maintenance and extraordinary expenses of its two great buildings, with most careful and jealous supervision, consume so much of the excess of the revenues over the interest account as to leave too scant a sum for the compensation of sufficient service at the library, and a mere pittance for the purchase of books. No library in the United States approaching ours in magnitude spends so little for service and books.

The Real Estate Commissioners with great difficulty were able to allow the Library, $6,050 or $350 more than last year. The Library Committee has been able to spend only $93 more for books, and had to spend $217 more for service than the year before, when expenditures were reduced to the lowest amount expended in fifteen years.

I am convinced that the Library proper has nothing to hope for in the way of ampler means for the most important ends of its existence, from the hotel rentals. It is not likely to get much over $6,000 a year from that source, for the drain on the hotel account will rather increase than diminish as time goes on. If the sum turned over by the Real Estate Commissioners for library purposes had been $2,300 less than $6,000 this year, not a dollar would have been available for the main object of the institution. I submit that this state of things is intolerable. It is sailing altogether too close to the wind. I consider it not only desirable but imperatively necessary that steps be taken to build up the library fund, which now amounts to $67,991.03, so that sufficient revenue may be obtained from it to insure the life of the Library itself beyond question. All bequests should go to this fund, the uses and limitations of which should be accurately and specifically defined in the by-laws of the Library. The atten-

tion of the incoming board is earnestly directed to the early consideration of this subject.

During the last year a bequest of $5,000 from the late Robert Preston Wilson, a former president of the Library, was received and placed in the library fund, and one of $500 from the late William Moffat, which was placed in the general fund. The generous gift from the Demarest estate, announced by my predecessor, will be made, very properly, at the convenience of the executors, perhaps during the coming year. As a just and fitting recognition of the beneficence of those who give or leave money to the Library, the Executive Committee has caused the names of such benefactors to be engraved on a plate, which will be pasted inside the cover of each volume purchased with the interest of the library fund.

No special funds for the purchase of books of a special class have been established during the year. The attention of friends of the Library is respectfully and suggestively directed to the blank forms facilitating action of this kind inserted in the annual reports.

Your Board of Managers has seen fit to authorize at a nominal expense a suitable exhibit of the plans and methods of administration of the Buffalo Library for the Columbian Exposition. Our building is pronounced by experts "one of the marked successes of the country," and the Library "one of the best administered." The Buffalo Library has received the additional compliment of having its Superintendent, Mr. J. N. Larned, made chairman of the Committee of the American Library Association to select the books for the model library of 5,000 exhibit.

A change in the by-laws made by the out-going board provides that the annual election shall be held between the hours of 10 A. M. and 7 P. M., instead of between 9 A. M. and 8 P. M. The experience of this year with the Australian ballot does not argue in favor of that system for the purposes of this institution. At the preceding election, with two tickets, although with but one candidate for presidency in the field, 624 votes were cast. This

year with a single head and all the managers on one ticket, rivalry was wholly eliminated, and but 323 votes were cast. I respectfully suggest that the old plan of running two full tickets be restored, or, if the difficulty of obtaining candidates to contest an election to the presidency bids fair to be serious, that all the officers, except the Real Estate Commissioners, be elected by the Board of Managers, the number of managers annually elected being sufficiently enlarged to meet the requirements of the case, and two separate, rival tickets placed in the field. This plan was recommended, in substance, by one of my predecessors, Mr. Beard. There are some advantages in such a system over the old one, besides the more apparent ones, and it is commended to the consideration of the new board.

Regarding the collection of the back rents due the Library from one of its poor relations, the policy of the outgoing administration has been one of Christian forbearance, which, in view of the Library's needs, ought to have its reward in the near future.

In severing a connection with the management of the Library that has lasted with few intermissions since 1878, I wish to put on record my high appreciation of the value to this institution and to its patrons of the devoted services of the Superintendent, Mr. Larned, and to commend the fidelity of his hard-working staff. It is proper to add also that members of the board of 1892–3 performed their official duties with punctuality and zeal, and that the association is under heavy obligations to the retiring treasurer, Mr. Nathaniel Rochester, who has managed the financial affairs of the Library for five years past with scrupulous fidelity.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The President-elect, Mr. George B. Hayes, then took the chair, and, without making any address, announced the Standing Committees for the ensuing year, as follows :

Library—Park, F. F. Williams, Albright, Norton, Clifton.
Finance—Gatchell, Altman, Dudley, G. L. Williams, Burtis, (*ex-officio.*)
Law—Marcy, Norton, Donaldson, Teller.
Membership—G. L. Williams, Gurney, G. R. Wilson.
By-Laws—Altman, Teller, Gurney.
Lectures—G. R. Wilson, Donaldson, Gatchell.
Donations—Gurney, Norton, Altman.
Newspapers and Periodicals—Park, F. F. Williams, Albright, Norton, Clifton.
Rooms and Fixtures—Clifton, Dudley, Marcy.
Printing—Teller, Norton, Charles R. Wilson (*ex-officio*).
Archives—Dudley, Gurney.
Auditor—Robert S. Donaldson.

The meeting then adjourned.

CHARLES R. WILSON,
Recording Secretary.

SYNOPSIS OF LIBRARY RULES.

Members may have two books at one time, or more by paying ten cents for each extra volume.

New books in much demand may be kept one week; other books, two weeks.

Charge for retention over time, three cents per day on each book.

Costly books and volumes in series, periodicals, etc., may be drawn under special conditions.

All injuries to books must be paid for.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

1. The privileges of the Buffalo Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library Building are *free* to all.

2. The Buffalo Library is open on Sundays from one o'clock to six o'clock P. M., and all are welcome.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

Books and Pamphlets.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Aberdeen (Scotland) Public Library,	...	1
American Association for the Advancement of Science,	1	...
American Institute of Homeopathy,	1	...
American Institute of Mining Engineers,	1	...
American Iron and Steel Association,	...	1
American Metrological Society,	...	2
Ames, John G., Superintendent of Documents, Washington,	...	4
Armstrong, Dr. George S.,	...	3
Association for the Advancement of Women,	...	2
Atwater, S. T.,	8	9
Bain, James, Toronto,	1	...
Barnard, Jos. E.,	2	...
Benedict, Dr. A. L.,	2	...
Berry, John M.,	...	1
Birmingham (England) Free Library,	...	1
Bolton, Dr. H. Carrington,	...	4
Boston Children's Aid Society,	...	1
Boston Public Library,	...	1
Bourinot, J. G.,	3	...
Bowdoin College Library	...	2
Bremer, Dr. L., St. Louis,	...	1
Brett, W. H., Cleveland,	...	1
Brookline Public Library,	...	1
Brooklyn Ethical Association,	...	1
Brooklyn Library,	...	1
Brymner, Douglas, Archivist of Canada,	1	...
Buffalo Academy of Music,	...	1
Buffalo Amateur Journalist Club,	3	1
Buffalo Board of Police,	...	1
Buffalo Charity Organization Society,	...	1
Buffalo City Clerk,	1	...
Buffalo General Hospital,	...	1
Buffalo Historical Society,	...	1
Buffalo Liberal Club,	1	...
Buffalo Merchant's Exchange,	...	4
Buffalo Park Commissioners,	...	1
Buffalo State Hospital for the Insane,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Buffalo Volksfreund,	...	2
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association,	1	1
Buxton (England) Free Public Library,	...	
Canada Department of Agriculture, Archives Branch,	1	...
Charlton, John, Esq., M. P. (Canadian public doc's),	24	8
Chicago College of Physicians and Surgeons,	...	1
Chicago Board of Trade,	1	...
Chicago Public Library,	...	1
Chicago University,	...	3
Cincinnati Mercantile Library,	...	1
Cincinnati Public Library,	1	1
Cleveland Public Library,	...	1
Columbus (Ohio) Public Library,	...	1
Conway, Rev. James,	...	1
Cooper Union, New York	...	1
Cornell University,	1	1
Cruikshank, Ernest, Fort Erie,	...	1
Cushing, Frank H.,	...	1
Dalton, Joseph G., Boston,	1	...
Denver Real Estate and Stock Exchange,	...	1
Denver University,	...	1
Detroit Public Library,	1	...
Doughty, Francis W., Brooklyn,	...	1
Drexel Institute, Philadelphia,	...	2
Egypt Exploration Fund,	...	1
Enoch Pratt Free Library, Baltimore,	...	4
Erie County Board of Supervisors,	1	...
Erie County Penitentiary,	...	1
Everett, Henry L.,	1	...
Fall River Public Library,	...	1
Firth, Frank J., Germantown,	1	...
Foster, W. E.,	...	4
Friends Free Library, Germantown,	...	1
Fuller, Rev. Samuel R.,	1	...
Gibbes, Emily O.,	2	...
Gilson, F. H., Co., Boston,	...	1
Gloversville Free Library,	...	1
Gordon, H. L., Minneapolis,	1	...
Gorham, George,	122	...
Grand Rapids Public Library,	...	1
Granger, James N.,	1	...
Guthrie, Edward B.,	...	1
Hamilton (Ont.) Public Library,	...	1
Hartford Theological Seminary,	...	1
Harvard University,	2	...
Hawley, Lucius E.,	2	...
Highland Park Literary Club,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Howard Memorial Library, N. O.,	...	2
Illinois Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
Illinois State Dental Society,	...	1
James, Prof. E. J., University of Pennsylvania,	...	1
Jewett, Henry C., & Co.,	...	1
Johns Hopkins University,	...	2
Jones, Rev. W. M.,	2	20
Joyce, Miss Agnes E.,	2	...
Kellicott, Prof. D. S,	...	2
Le Couteulx St. Mary's Inst. for the Deaf and Dumb,	...	1
Leeds (Eng.) Public Library,	...	1
Leffingwell, Albert Tracy,	1	...
Leland Stanford Junior University,	...	9
Letchworth, Hon. Wm. P.,	...	2
Library Bureau, Boston,	1	...
Lowell City Library,	...	2
MacAlister, Prof. James,	2	4
Maimonides Library, New York,	...	1
Massachusetts Board of Railroad Commissioners,	1	...
Massachusetts Board of Labor Statistics,	2	...
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,	...	2
Massachusetts State Board of Arbitration,	1	...
Massachusetts State Library,	...	1
Michigan Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
Michigan State Board of Charities and Corrections,	...	1
Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the U. S. Indiana Commandery,	...	1
Milwaukee Public Library,	...	1
Milwaukee Real Estate Board,	1	...
Minneapolis Public Library,	1	7
Moore, Miss Marion,	...	21
National Civil Service Reform League,	...	1
New Bedford Free Public Library,	...	2
Newburyport Public Library,	...	1
New Haven Free Public Library,	1	1
New London Public Library,	1	...
Newtown (Mass.) Free Library,	...	1
New York Apprentices' Library,	...	1
New York Car Wheel Works,	...	7
New York College for the Training of Teachers,	...	1
New York Mercantile Library,	...	1
New York Society of the Sons of the Revolution,	1	...
New York State Grand Lodge,	1	...
New York State Factory Inspectors,	1	...
New York State Library,	4	11
New York State Railroad Commissioners,	2	...
New York State Regents of the University,	...	2

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
New York State Secretary of State,	6	...
New York Young Men's Christian Association,	...	1
Nicaragua Maritime Canal Co.,	...	1
Northwestern University,	...	1
Ogontz School,	...	3
Ohio Meteorological Bureau,	...	2
Peabody Institute, Baltimore,	...	1
Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery,	...	1
Pennsylvania Museum and School of Industrial Arts,	...	1
Pennsylvania Society of the Sons of the Revolution,	1	...
Peoria Public Library,	...	1
Peters, Edward T., Washington, D. C.,	...	1
Peterson (New Jersey) Free Public Library,	...	1
Philadelphia Art Club,	1	5
Philadelphia Library Company,	...	2
Philadelphia Mercantile Library,	...	2
Phillips, Henry, Jr.,	1	...
Pope, Col. Albert A.,	...	1
Pratt Institute, Brooklyn,	...	1
Providence Public Library,	...	1
St. John's Lutheran Orphan Asylum,	...	1
St. Louis Mercantile Library,	1	2
St. Louis Public Library,	...	1
Salem Public Library,	...	3
San Francisco Free Public Library,	...	1
San Francisco Mechanics' Institute,	2	2
San Francisco Mercantile Library,	...	1
Scranton Public Library	...	1
Shepard, F. J.,	1	...
Simms, Dr. Joseph, San Francisco,	...	1
Slater Memorial Museum,	...	2
Smith, John C., Brooklyn,	1	...
Smith, T. Guilford,	...	3
Smithsonian Institute Bureau of Ethnology,	4	...
Southern California Bureau of Information,	...	1
Spaulding, Hon. E. G.,	43	5
Springfield (Mass.) City Library,	...	1
Stillman, Horace,	1	...
Stockton, Lewis,	...	2
Sunset Club, Chicago,	1	...
Syracuse Board of Education,	...	1
Taunton, Mass., Public Library,	...	1
Thiry, J. H., Long Island City,	...	1
Thompson, Prof. J. B., Rutgers College,	...	6
Thompson, Rev. Dr. John R., New Brunswick, N. J.,	...	1
Thomson-Houston Electric Co.,	...	2
Tokyo (Japan) Library,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Toronto Public Library,	...	3
United States Board on Geographic Names,	1	...
United States Bureau of American Republics,	2	21
United States Bureau of Education,	6	...
United States Bureau of Ethnology,	1	2
United States Bureau of Statistics,	1	1
United States Civil Service Commission,	2	1
United States Coast Survey,	1	...
United States Commissioner of Patents,	1	...
United States Commissioner of Pensions,	...	1
United States Comptroller of the Currency,	1	...
United States Department of Agriculture,	1	...
United States Department of the Interior,	328	21
United States Department of State,	5	...
United States Department of the Treasury,	1	...
United States Department of War,	8	...
United States Director of the Mint,	2	...
United States Fish Commission,	1	...
United States Inter-State Commerce Commission,	1	1
United States Light House Board,	1	1
United States Surgeon-General's Office,	1	...
United States Weather Bureau,	...	1
University of California,	1	1
University of Chicago,	...	5
University of Rochester,	...	1
University of Vermont,	...	2
Volta Bureau, Washington,	1	...
Watson, Mrs. Charlotte A. (containing valuable autographs),	3	...
White, James T., & Co.,	...	1
Whitman, Rev. George,	2	...
Wilmington Institute,	...	1
Williams, Frank F.,	2	...
Wilson College for Women, Chambersburg, Pa.,	...	1
Winsor, Prof. Justin,	...	1
Wisconsin Commissioner of Statistics,	1	...
Wisconsin Historical Society,	1	1
Wisconsin State Superintendent of Schools,	...	1
Wooley, Chas. W.,	..	3
Worcester Free Public Library,	...	1
World's Columbian Exposition, Board of Women Managers of the Exhibit of New York	...	1
Yale University,	3	1
Young Men's Christian Associations, International Committee,	...	1
Young Men's Christian Association Library, Albany,	...	1
Zielinski, Prof. J. de,	...	2
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PERIODICALS AND OCCASIONAL PUBLICATIONS.

American Iron and Steel Institute Bulletin.
American McAll Association Record for the year.
American Philosophical Society Proceedings.
Boston Public Library Bulletins.
Brooklyn Library Bulletins.
Buffalo Christian Advocate (file for binding).
Buffalo Commercial Advertiser (file for binding).
Buffalo Daily Courier (file for binding).
Buffalo Daily Times.
Buffalo Demokrat (file for binding).
Buffalo Evening News (file for binding).
Buffalo Express (file for binding).
Buffalo Freie Presse (file for binding).
Buffalo Medical and Surgical Journal.
Buffalo Sunday Truth.
Buffalo Volksfreund.
Bulletin Continental.
Catholic Union and Times (for binding).
Christian Register.
Chronicle, The (Franklinville).
Civil Service Chronicle.
Civil Service Record.
Congressional Record.
Cornell University Agricultural Bulletins.
Cornell University Library Bulletins.
Countersign, The.
Dental Advertiser.
Denver Public Library Bulletins.
Dixie.
East Side News (Buffalo).
Educator, The (Buffalo).
Erie County Independent.
Essex Institute Bulletins.
Fashion.
Hartford Seminary Record.
Harvard Graduates' Magazine.
Harvard University Bibliographical Contributions.
Harvard University Bulletins.
Horse Gazette (Buffalo).
Hotel Mail.
Iron Industry Gazette (McFaul & Nolan).
Jewelers' Weekly.
Johns Hopkins University Circulars.
Keokuk Post.
Kindergarten News.

Le Couteulx Leader.
Literary News.
Lumber World (McFaul & Nolan).
National Odd Fellow.
New York Regents of the University Bulletins and other Publications.
New York State Library Bulletins.
Ogontz Mosaic.
Omaha Daily Bee.
Our Record (Home for the Friendless, Buffalo).
Philadelphia Mercantile Library Bulletins.
Philadelphia Library Co. Bulletins.
Phonetic Journal.
Real Estate and Financial News (Buffalo).
Revue de Morale Progressive.
Salem Public Library Bulletins.
Shield.
Smithsonian Institution (contributions in parts).
Street Railway Review.
Travelers' Record.
Triumphs of Faith.
Truth.
United States Bureau of Statistics, 2 Quarterly Reports.
United States Census Bulletins.
United States Consular Reports.
United States, Education, Bureau of, Circulars of Information.
United States, Geographic Names, Board on, Bulletins.
United States Patent Office Gazette.
University Extension.
Valley City, North Dakota, Times-Record.
Voice, The (Funk & Wagnall's).
Warren County Library, Monmouth, Ill., Bulletins.
Westfield Republican.
Young Men's Christian Association Bulletins,

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American Metrological Society, ... 1 Chart.
Bingermann, Adam, ... An Antique Document.
Jackson, Frank H., ... 1 Map.
Myers, J. H., ... Fac-simile of "The Boston News Letter," April 24, 1704.
United States Department of War, . . . { Atlas to Accompany Official Records of the War of the Rebellion (in parts).
United States Geological Survey, ... 1 Map.
Williams, Frank F., ... 5 Maps.
World's Columbian Exposition, . . . { Pamphlets, Circulars, Maps, Views (including everything published relating to the Exposition.)

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

Some of the friends of the Buffalo Library, who have in mind the generous thought of enlarging its very limited endowment by gift or bequest, may wish to do so in a specific way, for the benefit of such departments of literature as interest them most. Where this is the desire, there seems to be no objection to the founding of Special Funds — named for the givers, or as they may direct — the income of which shall be appropriated wholly to the purchase of books, etc., in designated classes and lines The following are mentioned as departments in the Library which might advantageously receive especial endowment in the suggested mode:

The Fine Arts, graphic and plastic, including Architecture.
Music.
Mechanic Arts and Manufactures — Engineering.
Chemistry — Chemical Technology, including Metallurgy and the working of Metals.
Medicine, Surgery, and the Biological and Hygienic Sciences connected with them.
Natural History, including Geology and Mineralogy.
Mathematics and Astronomy.
Politics and Political and Social Economy.
Philosophy.
Theology.
Greek and Roman Classical Literature.
Books in the German Language.
Books in the French Language.
American History, especially Family and Town and County History.

FORM OF A SPECIAL BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation, located at the City of Buffalo, New York, the sum of..... Dollars, which sum I desire that the said Library shall preserve by proper investment as a perpetual fund, to be known as The Fund, the yearly income thereof, and no more, to be expended annually in the purchase of books, periodicals, prints, maps, or other works relating to subjects connected with.....

FORM OF A GENERAL BEQUEST.

I do hereby give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, the sum of..... Dollars.

FORM OF DEVISE.

I do hereby give, devise and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, and to its successors and assigns forever,

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated, etc.

	Paper Bonds Bills	Paper Per cent	Volume added	Percentage and tax	Merchandise and tax	Home Made	Life Insurance	Foreign Merchandise	Rate Interest	Rate Dividends	Deposits the banks	Volume from Life	Interest and Dividends	Cash national including life	Net receipts from	Amount left Treasury	Amount of Liberty Funds	PRESIDENTS.
1836	$2,102.87	$730.00	2,700	102	400		44	400	$2.00	$2.00	$300.00	5,500	$1,234.00	$3,787.00	Free.	$189.15		Seth C. Hawley.
1837	653.13	341.00	86	45	82	8	16	304	2.00	5.00	2,484.00	7,500	1,010.74	1,425.00	Free.	198.19		Seth C. Hawley.
1838	140.51	378.00	no acc	45	53			303	2.00	5.00	2,075.00	6,300	1,121.00	484.00	Free.	78.16		George E. Hayes.
1839		250.00	none.	27	35			195	2.00	5.00	1,976.00	6,600	1,047.00	297.75	$ 4.50	69.47		Edward Norton.
1840	36.00	323.00	128	28	28		22	124	2.00	5.00	803.00	6,400	675.75	1,253.00	10.00	3.84		Walter Joy.
1841	148.40	284.90	81	33	281	1	7	407	2.00	5.00	408.62	10,400	1,352.00	418.00	35.69	63.64		Warren Bryant.
1842	103.56	289.00	122	36	90			401	1.00	3.00	370.04	11,100	1,292.00	35.50	2.00	273.23		W. L. G. Smith.
1843	84.30	158.00	248	42	57			271	1.00	3.00	481.53	9,000	868.75	53.00	7.00	164.74		W. H. Greene.
1844	73.48	204.33	20	no acc	40		1	278	1.00	3.00	545.78	8,000	878.87	52.00	No Lec.	16.75		Jabez B. Bull.
1845	427.60	140.00	385	21	64			458	1.00	3.00		8,200	1,444.44	248.28	162.90	367.93		Gibson T. Williams.
1846	159.82	208.95	155	no acc	63		1	400	1.00	3.00		9,250	1,263.25	51.25	144.47	571.39		Samuel T. Atwater.
1847	574.99	209.54	420	43	133		3	475	1.00	3.00		10,600	1,556.56	378.75	31.20	603.38		Thomas C. Welch.
1848	231.97	233.96	170	41	134	1		398	1.00	3.00		14,200	1,327.62	227.46	20.77	466.12		James Sheldon.
1849	320.04	190.07	199	31	132	1		445	1.00	3.00		12,000	1,467.12	260.42		546.75		Isaac Sherman.
1850	245.00	196.82	228	30	72	3		397	1.00	3.00		9,477	1,262.18	60.00	18.41	349.36		Chas. D. Norton.
1851	382.43	198.76	75	34	276	1	4	797	1.00	3.00		11,600	2,664.60	1,494.00	392.29	1,900.44		J. M. Hutchinson.
1852	796.67	196.87	918	48	266	2	1	814	1.00	3.00		14,440	2,708.36	85.00	152.34	2,038.98		James L. Butler.
1853	1,345.14	202.49	576	52	254	1	1	838	1.00	3.00		19,229	2,769.25	160.50	691.93	2,954.77		Bronson C. Rumsey.
1854	1,618.00	245.51	857	55	184	9	1	853	1.00	3.00		22,995	2,743.63	50.00	380.37	2,214.11		Wells D. Walbridge.
1855	730.88	233.21	679	55	344	9	3	1,070	1.00	3.00		22,793	3,524.74	150.00	271.69	3,040.53	$1,150.00	Alex. W. Harvey.
1856	2,068.41	238.45	1,289	55	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,830	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	1,200.00	John G. Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	105	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer.
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,647.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	2,500.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682.76	2,800.00	Wm. Fleming.
1860	487.69	186.44	543	50	183		6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736.93	2,850.00	David F. Day.
1861	241.80	279.53	277	55	110	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	3,200.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,212.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,300.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23.281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,628.57	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633.81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.35	5,206.43	8,288.65	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1,091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285.44	5,650.00	8,500.00	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,052.54	8,800.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,755	1.00	3.00	39,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	10,100.00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9,212.05	11,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,897.94	656.08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	13,300.00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.64	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,950.00	Geo. S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.72	700.00	1,144.39	3,702.62	19,750.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768.48	894	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176.40	4,493.34	20,050.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717.23	20,350.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,557.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4,009.75	300.00		2,107.42	20,735.04	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959.25	200.00		3,541.23	20,935.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737.02	21,035.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,355.60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,250.00	72,832	4,107.25	100.00		1,738.02	21,085.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660.24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,385.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,435.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,122.04	21,835.04	Wilson H. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		1,098.76	22,085.04	Charles A. Sweet.
1882	4,519.81	643 00	2,794	111	422	6	6	1,776		3.00	10,500.00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550.00		231.94	22,033.74	Henry Bull.
1883	4,260.71	630.12	3,085	108	337	2	371	1,814		3.00		99,108	4,071.60			1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	116	334		406			3 00		96,113	3,873.00			1,202.86	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,657.34	646.71	3,672	133	327		95	1,369		3.00		84,918	3,144.00			1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,327.97	625.68	3,522	154	337	2		1,509		3.00	225,000.00	59,943	2,917.09			599.38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	3,724.35	800.51	3,191	173	600	2		1,614		3.00		89,935	3,667.75	124,879.25			22,183.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1888	3,365.21	637.17	2,807	191	901		8	2,178		3.00		100,136	4,406.49				22,183.74	George Gorham.
1889	3,115.56	673.68	2,630	182	437	1	6	1,881		3.00	955,000.00	102,600	3,293.25	9,700.00		15,772.00	31,883.74	Daniel H. McMillan.
1890	3,425.86	494.28	2,835	183	549		10	1,729		3.00	910,000.00	102,749	4,116.08	5,700.00		17,397.05	39,228.99	Philo D. Beard.
1891	3,329.49	731.03	2,220	200	591		22	1,778		3.00	910,000.00	104,244	4,027.10	1,300.00		10,833.50	62,541.03	Ralph H. Plumb.
1892	3,659.15	794.52	2,776	203	586		10	1,774		3.00	906,500.00	114,719	4,271,62	5,950.00		10,473.62	67,991.03	Frank M. Hollister.

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Baker, Lyman M. 1886
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Clark, Charles A., Jr. 1884
Clark, Charles S. 1884
Clark, Delavan F. 1865
Clark, Mrs. Delia S. 1884
Clark, Edward D. 1884
Clark, H. P. 1884
Clark, Irwin B. 1885
Clark, Miss Jessie E. 1884
Clark, Stephen C. 1865
Clark, Stephen D. 1884
Clark, Townsend D. 1884
Clement, S. M. Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. S. M., Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. Sarah E. 1885
Cleveland, Grover 1870
Clifton, Mrs Charles 1885
Clinton, DeWitt 1878
Clinton, George 1885
Close, Emory P. 1884
Coakley, J. B. 1884
Cobb, Oscar 1881
Coit, Miss Charlotte 1887
Coit, Miss Emily 1887
Coit, Frank S. 1870
Coit, George 1885
Coit, Miss Julia 1887
Collingwood, W. D. 1887
Comstock, Marc W. 1884
Cook, Edward L. 1884
Cook, Joseph T. 1887
Cook, Rev. P. G. 1870
Cornell, S. Douglass 1861
Cornwell, William C. 1884
Cothran, G. W. 1872
Cottier, Alonzo E. 1884
Cottier, W. H. 1884
Cowing, John H. 1875
Cowing, Stanley B. 1884
Cowles, Seth G. 1886
Cowles, Seth H. 1886
Coxe, Arthur Cleveland 1867
Crosby, Thomas G. 1885
Cunningham, P. R. 1891
Curtis, A. M. 1886
Curtis, Charles G. 1884
Curtis, Harlow C. 1884
Cushman, Charles W. 1888
Cutler, Burwell L. 1886
Cutler, Clifford A. 1886
Cutler, Fred. H. 1886
Cutler, William B. 1868
Cutter, Mrs. G. W. 1886
Daboll, L. B. 1885
Danforth, F. L. 1872
Danforth, Frank L. 1884
Danforth, Fred. W. 1884
Danforth, Richard E. 1884
Danforth, William E. 1884
Daniels, Charles 1882
Daniels, C. H. 1884
Dann, E. W. 1848
Dann, Walter J. 1884
Dart, Joseph, Jr. 1887
Davy, Marsden 1886
Davis, Miss Emily K. 1884
Davis, Harry P. 1884
Davis, Jacob 1885
Davis, J. Talmon 1886
Davis, Townsend 1884
Davis, Mrs. Townsend 1884
Davis, William H. 1884
Daw, Alfred D. 1881
Dawes, Julius H. 1884
Day, David F. 1871
Dean, Wells P. 1871
Depew, Chauncey M. 1884
Depew Ganson S. 1884
Derrick, George W. 1884
Diehl, Jacob W. 1884
Diehl, John P. 1884
Dobbins, David P. 1860
Dole, Thomas D. 1881
Dopp, William H. 1871
Dorr, Edward 1865
Dorr, Frank Ingersoll 1867
Dorr, John Nicholas 1867
Douglass, W. H. 1872
Doyle, Peter C. 1872
Doyle, William L. 1872
Dubois, Frank 1884

Dudley, James G. 1881
Dudley, Joseph P. 1871
Dunbar, C. F. 1884
Dunbar, George H. 1874
Dunston, George H. 1872
Duschak, Mrs. Agnes H. 1872
Eames, Daniel D. 1884
Eames, Edward A. 1885
Eames, E. W. 1867
Eames, M. R. 1867
Eames, Milo D. 1884
Eckley, J. S. 1864
Eckley, Mrs. Elizabeth P. 1871
Edmonds, E. R. 1884
Edwards, Edward 1884
Ehrlic, Julius J. 1873
Eisenwein, A. C. 1892
Elias, G. 1884
Emerson, H. P. 1884
Emslie, Mrs. Peter 1884
Ernest, H. 1886
Evans, Miss Alethe 1887
Evans, Edwin T. 1885
Evans, Ellicott 1886
Evans, Grace E. 1886
Evans, James C. 1884
Evans, James C., 2d 1873
Evans, Karl 1886
Evans, Lewis M. 1872
Evans, Miss Sarah Grant 1887
Evans, Miss Virginia 1884
Fairchild, Joseph L. 1875
Farrar, C. M. 1888
Farthing, John 1881
Fassett, Clara S. 1884
Fassett, Theodore S. 1884
Fenton, James 1884
Ferguson, F. C. 1887
Ferris, Peter J. 1886
Fischer, G. R. 1889
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Fisher, James W. 1872
Fiske, Frank W. 1865
Fiske, George 1885
Fiske, Willie P. 1887
Fleming, Bryant 1884
Fleming, Lucy S. 1884
Fleming, William 1881
Flint, Abbie G. 1884
Flint, Mrs. Johanna J. 1884
Flint, Oscar T. 1865
Flynn, Wm. Jared 1884
Folsom, Benjamin 1884
Folwell, B. 1884
Folwell, Florence D. 1884
Ford, Mrs. Helen J. 1885
Ford, James A. 1884
Ford, James E. 1881
Forman, Geo. V. 1893
Forsyth, James G. 1885
Fox, L. J. 1884
French, Albin S. 1884
French, Henry C. 1883
French, Henry C., Jr. 1884
French, Jean Patterson 1884
French, Thomas B. 1884
French, Thomas B., Jr. 1884
French, Washington B. 1884
Frost, L. L. 1884
Fullerton, H. F. 1886
Fullerton, James C. 1884
Fursman, E. L. 1885
Gager, John C. 1885
Ganson, Emily J. 1884
Ganson, Henry 1872
Gardner, William 1857
Gatchell, Geo. S. 1884
Gates, Miss Elizabeth H. 1884
Gay, Louis F. 1884
Germain, Charles B. 1884
Gibbs, George W. 1887
Gibson, Charles S. 1884
Gies, Charles 1885
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Gilbert, Fred M. 1884
Gilbert, Philip C. 1884
Gilbert, R. W. 1884
Glenny, Mrs. C. S. M. 1885
Glenny, Esther 1892
Glenny, Wm. H. 1886
Gluck, James F. 1884
Gluck, Mrs. James F. 1885
Goodyear, Anson C. 1885
Goodyear, Charles W. 1884
Goodyear, Charles W., Jr. 1884
Goodyear, Esther 1885

Goodyear, F. H. 1885
Goodyear, Florence 1885
Goodyear, Grace E. 1885
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Goodyear, Josephine L. 1885
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Gorham, George 1884
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Gorton, Cyrus J. 1887
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Gould, Miss Celia A. 1887
Gould, Charles M. 1887
Gould, Harry C. 1887
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Grabenstater, Frank 1887
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Granger, E. W. 1884
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Grau, Wm. H. 1874
Graves, Augusta A. 1886
Graves, C. M. 1887
Graves, Caroline M. 1886
Graves, Gilbert S. 1884
Graves, John C. 1885
Graves, Katharine 1886
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Graves, Ruth 1886
Gray, David, Jr. 1872
Gray, Miss Jessie 1884
Greene, George C. 1884
Greene, George S. 1885
Greene, Mrs. Helen T. 1885
Greene, John B. 1872
Greene, Mrs. John B. 1885
Greene, Katharine T. 1885
Greene, Keturah B. 1885
Greene, Samuel B. 1885
Gregg, Edward B. 1884
Greiner, Charles 1884
Greiner, Ed. H. 1885
Griffin, P. H. 1893
Guenther, John G. 1857
Guenther, N. J. R. 1866
Gurney, Charles L. 1876
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Harmon, Rachel M. 1885
Harper, Worthington 1885
Harrington, D. W. 1848
Harris, E. P. 1886
Harrower, H. C. 1885
Harvey, H. J. 1884
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Harvey, Leon F. 1884
Hatch, Miss Annie 1886
Hatch, Geo. T. 1885
Hauenstein, Alfred G. 1885
Hauenstein, Harold 1885
Hauenstein, John 1884
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Hawks, E. C. 1884
Hawley, Edward S. 1875
Hawley, Elias S. 1865
Hawley, Lucien 1853
Hawley, Wm. A. 1887

Hayes, Edmund 1884
Hayes, Geo. B. 1871
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Hayes, J. Arthur 1884
Hayes, M. Alice 1884
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Haywood, Geo. F. 1884
Hazard, A. M. 1884
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Heath, Miss Jessie 1886
Hedstrom, E. L. 1885
Hefford, R. R. 1884
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Henderson, Miss Sarah A. 1884
Henderson, Susan D. 1884
Hengerer, Wm. 1884
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Henry, Wm. P. 1891
Hess, F. B. 1872
Hibbard, Geo. B. 1881
Hickey, W. D. 1884
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Hill, Miss Essie L. 1882
Hill, Thomas, Jr. 1888
Hingston, Edward J. 1884
Hinckley, Willard E. 1891
Hirschfield, Miss Emma M. . . . 1878
Hodge, D. W. 1887
Hodges, Miss L. M. 1884
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Holt Elizabeth D. 1884
Holt, Miss Rosa B. 1884
Hoole, A. J. 1885
Hopkins, Ann E. 1884
Hopkins, H. R. 1884
Hopkins, Hiram P. 1865
Hopkins, N. K. 1865
Hopkins, Walter G. 1884
Hopkins, Warren D. 1884

Horton, C. M. 1881
Hotchkiss, Chas. F. 1884
Hotchkiss, Miss Rosa E. 1884
Hotchkiss, Wm. H. 1892
Howard, Albert J. 1885
Howard, C. O. 1884
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Howard, Ethan H. 1884
Howard, George F. 1886
Howard, George Jewett 1884
Howard, Gibson F. 1884
Howard, H. C. 1885
Howard, Rufus L. 1857
Howe, Lucien 1884
Howell, Leigh R. 1860
Hubbard, Linus 1881
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Hubbell, Alfred H. 1884
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Hubbell, Raynor 1884
Hull, Marvin 1884
Hunsicker, Joseph L. 1884
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Hunt, Lyman 1884
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Hurd, Chauncey M. 1885
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Hurd, Miss Florence 1885
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Ingersoll, Catherine M. 1884
Ingersoll, Charles A. 1884
Inglehart, Fred M. 1884
Ingram, John C. 1884
Irish, Miss Jennie R. 1884
Irish, John P. 1884
Irlbacker, John 1885
Ives, William 1858
James, F. H. 1884
Jebb, William T. 1872
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Jewett, Josiah 1868
Jewett, Miss Mabel 1885
Jewett, Nathan H. 1885
Jewett, Sherman S. 1861
Jewett, Sherman S., 2d 1885
Johnson, Thomas M. 1884
Johnston, James M. 1884
Jones, Marshall N. 1872
Joyce, W. A. 1884
Judson, Malcolm C. 1887
Judson, William 1887
Keating, Francis Root 1884
Keating, Geo. P. 1887
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Kelderhouse, John 1881
Kellogg, Spencer 1884
Kelley, Miss Bessie 1885
Kelly, John 1874
Kendall, Miss Allie 1887
Kenney, James J. 1884
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Kenney, Miss Sarah F. 1884
Kent, E. A. 1884
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Kimball, Lathrop T. 1884
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King, W. F. 1886
King, William, Jr. 1871
Kingsley, Mary C. 1884
Kingston, Harry O. 1891
Kipp, Charles H. 1884
Kip, Henry Edward 1885
Kip, Henry W. 1865
Kipp, William F 1882
Kittinger, Margaret M. 1885
Kittinger, Joseph 1884
Klinck, Christian 1887
Knowlton, C. B. 1884
Koons, Edward L. 1885
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Krumholz, Joseph 1884
Lacy, John T., Jr. 1873
Lamb, Henry 1837
Lang, Charles E. 1884
Langdon, Andrew 1885
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Larkin, J. D. 1885
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Laughlin, John 1887
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Laverack, Miss Belle R. 1884
Laverack, George E. 1879
Laverack, Miss Gertrude 1884
Laverack, Howard C. 1884
Laverack, Miss Jennie 1884
Laverack, Miss Mary B. 1887
Laverack, William H. 1884
Lee, Miss Alice 1884
Lee, Franklin 1881
Lee, George W. 1870
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Lee, James H. 1873
Lee, John R. 1857
Lee, R. Porter 1882
Lee, Shumway 1884
Lee, Stephen B. 1885
Lee, Walter C. 1884
Letchworth, Charlotte P. 1885
Letchworth, Josiah 1867
Letchworth, William P. 1860
Levi, Emanuel 1884
Levyn, S. 1884
Lewis, Alfred G. 1885
Lewis, Mrs. Charlotte B. 1885
Lewis, Mrs. Elizabeth S. 1885
Lewis, George A. 1885
Lewis, George H. 1885
Lewis, George L. 1885
Lewis, Mrs. George L. 1884
Lewis, Jessica 1891

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Lewis, Mrs. Kate B. 1885
Lewis, Lester 1891
Lewis, Loren L. 1884
Lewis, Loren L., Jr., ... 1884
Lewis, Miss M. Louise 1884
Lewis, Marjory 1891
Lewis, Miss Mary 1885
Lewis, Thomas F. 1884
Linen, George G. 1884
Locke, Franklin D. 1876
Locke, James 1875
Lockwood, D. N. 1884
Loomis, Charles K. 1884
Loomis, Mrs. Charles T. 1884
Loomis, Frank M. 1884
Loomis, Hobart B., Jr. 1884
Loomis, Maria B. 1884
Loomis, Thomas 1871
Love, Miss Maria 1884
Lovejoy, Walter L. 1888
Lovering, William 1867
Lyman, C. M. 1884
Lymburner, H. M. 1865
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Lyth, A. Lyon 1887
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McArthur, J. N. 1884
McDougal, Sidney 1884
McFarlane, Miss Belle 1884
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McMillan, Daniel H. 1883
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McNaughton, P. B. 1884
McNeil, D. 1884
McShane, T. 1884
McWilliams, John J. 1887
Madison, James H. 1878
Mann, Matthew D. 1884
Manning, D. Van A. 1885
Manning, Franklin E. 1885
Manning, John B. 1885
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Manning, William H. 1885
Marcus, L. 1884
Marshall, Charles D. 1884
Martin, Capt. John 1884
Marvin, Antoinett G. 1890
Marvin, Elizabeth S. 1890
Marvin, George H. 1890
Marvin, Grace E. 1890
Marvin, Percy L. 1890
Mason, Seth L. 1873
Matthews, George B. 1880
Matthews, George E. 1884
Matthews, Harry N. 1885
Matthews, J. H. 1886
Meadows, Harold G. 1885
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Melcher, Miss Alice V. 1886
Messert, Miss Harriet B. 1884
Metcalf, Mrs. E. T. 1886
Metcalf, Frank T. 1884
Metcalf, George S. 1884
Metcalf, James S. 1884
Meyer, Alphonse J. 1890
Michael, Edward 1884
Milburn, Devereaux 1884
Milburn, John G. 1880
Milburn, John G., Jr. 1884
Miller, A. D. A. 1865
Miller, Albert C. 1886
Miller, Miss Bessie C. 1885
Miller, George 1886
Miller, George W. 1885
Mills, W. I. 1888
Ming, Mary A. E. 1887
Mixer, Fred K. 1884

Mixer, H. B. 1872
Mixer, Knowlton 1885
Montgomery, George B. 1885
Montgomery, H. Ernest 1885
Montgomery, Robert 1881
Mooney, James 1885
Moore, Fred H. 1884
Moore, George E. 1890
Moot, Adelbert 1885
Moot, Mrs. C. A. V. 1885
Moot, Richmond 1891
Moot, Seward 1891
Moot, Wells 1891
Morey, Miss Belle R. 1886
Morey, Joseph R. 1886
Morey, Norris 1884
Morgan, A. W. 1885
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Morgan, Percy R. 1884
Morgan, Willis K. 1884
Morse, Charles M. 1885
Morse, David R. 1881
Moulton, Frank T. 1886
Movius, E. H. 1884
Mugridge, Miss Belle E. 1885
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Munro, Charles D. 1884
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Munro, Willis 1884
Nagle, John C. 1884
Neupert, Anthony 1885
Newhall, Miss Anna S. 1885
Newhall, Daniel 1885
Newhall, Daniel E. 1880
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Newhall, Hayden 1885
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Newhall, Miss Minerva 1885
Newhall, Miss Natalie 1885
Newman, George E. 1884
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Nichols, M. 1884
Nicklis, Miss Carrie E. 1886
Niles, Hiram 1865
Nims, Charles K. 1869
Nims, O. L. 1865
Nolton, Mrs. H. G. 1887
Northrup, William P. 1884
Norton, Charles P. 1872
Norton, N. W. 1884
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Norton, Porter H. 1886
Noye, Albert Anderson 1887
Noye, Richard K. 1884
Noye, Richard K., Jr. 1880
Noyes, John S. 1870
Oatman, Leroy S. 1885
O'Brian, E. C. W. 1886
O'Connor, Thos. S. 1884
O'Day, Daniel 1886
Palen, Robert 1888
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Palmer, Everard 1857
Palmer, Harlow C. 1885
Palmer, Wilfred 1888
Park, Roswell 1887
Parker, Charles C. 1887
Parker, E. L. 1884
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Peabody, Miss Lizzie P. 1884
Peabody, William H. 1881
Peabody, William H., Jr. 1884
Pease, Frank P. 1872
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Perew, Frank 1865
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Phelps, Calistia M. 1884
Pierce, George N. 1886
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Pierce, Ida B. 1884
Pierce, R. V. 1884
Pierce, Ralph W. 1884
Pierce, V. M. 1884
Pierce, W. W. 1884
Playter, C. W. 1885
Plimpton, George A. 1884
Plimpton, Mrs. George D. 1865
Plumb, Miss Nellie E. 1885
Plumb, Ralph 1887

Plumb, Ralph H. 1885
Plumley, Edward J. 1892
Plummer, W. E., Jr. 1884
Pooley, C. A. 1884
Pooley, George C. 1884
Potter, Edward A. 1884
Potter, E. W. 1884
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Pratt, Fred L 1885
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Provoost, John M. 1884
Putnam, George P. 1884
Putnam, George P., Jr. 1885
Putnam, James O. 1884
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Putnam, Kate E. 1884
Quinby, George T. 1885
Ramsdell, Anna K. 1887
Ramsdell, Charles Miller 1886
Ramsdell, Clarissa C. 1887
Ramsdell, Evelyn 1887
Ramsdell, O. P., Jr. 1887
Ramsdell, Thomas T. 1884
Ransom, Frank H. 1885
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Rathbun, Miss Emily 1871
Reed, E. D. 1869
Reynolds, A. 1881
Rice, E. A. 1893
Rice, Victor M. 1891
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Rich, Mrs. Cornelia P 1884
Rich, Edward J. 1884
Rich, G. Barrett 1884
Rich, G. Barrett, Jr. 1884
Rich, Harold P. 1884
Richmond, Adelaide 1891
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Richmond, Mrs. Mary F. 1884
Rick, Edward J. 1884
Riley, I. Woodbridge 1885
Ring, Charles A. 1884
Ripley, Miss Mary A. 1885
Riter, Charles L. 1884
Riter, Jacob F. 1884
Riter, John 1884
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Riter, Robert 1884
Roat, Edwin 1887
Robbins, E. C. 1872
Roberts, James A. 1888
Rochester, Elizabeth C. 1884
Rochester, Nathaniel 1872
Rogers, Robert C. 1885
Rogers, Sherman S. 1868
Rogers, William A. 1893
Root, Francis H. 1861
Root, Henry W. 1884
Rosenau, David 1884
Ross, J. H. 1884
Rounds, E. H. 1884
Rumrill, E. Curtis 1884
Rumrill, Henry, Jr. 1884
Rumsey, Bronson C. 1856
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Rumsey, Dexter P. 1881
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Rumsey, Gertrude 1884
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Rumsey, L. D. 1886
Runcie, S. Henry 1884
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Rupp, C. A. 1884
Ryan, Rt. Rev. S. V. 1887
Sandrock, W. J. 1886
Sawyer, Elizabeth V. F. 1887
Sawyer, George P. 1865
Sawyer, James Dennison 1883
Sawyer, Margery 1886
Scatcherd, John N. 1890
Schanzlin, Henry 1868
Schelling, Robert F. 1886
Scheu, Augustus F. 1884
Scheu, Samuel 1884
Schild, Rev. C. L. 1884
Schlenker, Charles E. 1886

Schoellkopf, J. F. 1881
Schotten, F. C. 1885
Sears, Frank A. 1865
Seipp, William J. P. 1885
Selkirk, Charles E. 1884
Selkirk, Henry B. 1884
Seymour, H. H. 1884
Shepard, P. M. L. 1884
Shepard, C. Sidney 1885
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Shepard, Ralph H. 1885
Sherman, William H. 1884
Shire, Moses 1887
Shoemaker, E. D. 1867
Sibley, Frank 1884
Sicard, Edward M. 1884
Sicard, George J. 1884
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Sicard, Sarah E. M. 1886
Sidway, Clarence S. 1885
Sidway, Miss Edith 1885
Sidway, F. St. J. 1885
Sidway, Franklin 1873
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Sill, Henry S. 1885
Simson, Andrew 1884
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Sirret, William B. 1870
Slade, William H. 1881
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Smith, Mrs. T. Guilford 1884
Smyth, Miss Sara S. 1885
Snow, George B. 1884
Southwick, A. P. 1881
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Spaulding, Elbridge G. 1837
Spaulding, Elbridge G. Jr. 1886
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Spaulding, Marion 1886
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Spayth, Harry 1884
Spencer, Seth S. 1884
Spiegel, M. 1884
Sprague, Albert B. 1884
Sprague, Carlton 1884
Sprague, E. Carlton 1881
Sprague, Henry Ware 1884
Springer, H. C. 1888
Steele, Charles G. 1872
Steele, O. G. 1865
Stern, Jacob 1884
Sternberg, Charles F. 1855
Stoddard, Ella M. 1884
Straight, M. B. 1884
Strauss, Peter 1871
Swain, Miss Eleanor 1871
Sweeney, James 1881
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Sweeney, Katharine S. 1884
Sweet, Charles A. 1872
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Sweet, J. B. 1884
Sweet, Winniford F. 1884
Taylor, Etta Irene 1886
Taylor, Walter L. 1885
Thompson, A. Porter 1886
Thompson, Sheldon 1886
Thornton, George H. 1866
Tift, Mrs. Lily Lord 1885
Tift, Mrs. Lucy Lord 1884
Tilden, Jared H. 1876
Tillinghast, James 1884
Tillinghast, James D. 1884

Titus, Robert C. 1888
Townsend, George W. 1867
Townsend, Mrs. Geo. W. 1884
Treft, John C. 1888
Tripp, A. F. 1880
Truscott, Frederick 1884
Tryon, George H. 1884
Tryon, Geo. H., Jr. 1885
Tucker, Risley 1884
Tuthill, E. D. 1886
Tuthill, H. S. 1886
Tweedie, Wm. S. 1884
Urban, Emma M. 1886
Urban, George Jr. 1874
Urban, Mrs. George Jr. 1884
Urban, George P. 1886
Urban, Mary Witmer 1886
Urban, William C. 1886
Utley, Mrs. Celia 1884
Utley, Charles H. 1884
Utley, Mrs. Mary B. 1885
Van Velsor, John 1885
Viele, Sheldon T. 1884
Vought, Miss Anna W. 1885
Vought, Miss Mary V. 1885
Vought, W. G. 1870
Wadsworth, Charles F. 1865
Wadsworth, H. C. 1884
Walbridge, Harry 1884
Walbridge, Newman 1884
Walker, E. C. 1884
Walker, Stephen 1872
Walker, William H. 1881
Walls, John 1872
Ward, Francis G. 1890
Wardwell, George S. 1870
Warner, E. C. 1884
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Warren, Edward S. 1884
Warren, James D., Jr. 1885
Warren, James G. 1874
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Warren, Wm. Y. 1884
Watson, Arnold B. 1884
Watson, Mrs. Charlotte A. 1884
Watson, Gertrude 1884
Watson, H. M. 1884
Watson, W. H. 1884
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Weber, Miss May F. 1885
Webster, Edward H. 1884
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Weed, Miss Emelie 1885
Weed, Geo. T. 1885
Weed, Hattie M. 1886
Weed, Hobart 1881
Weed, Sheldon 1885
Weed, Walter I. 1885
Welch, Deshler 1874
Welch, S. M. 1872
Welch, Samuel M., Jr., ... 1866
Welch, Theodore F. 1884
Wells, Charles W. 1886
Wende, Theodore 1891
Wheeler, Carrie W. 1884
Wheeler, Charles B. 1884
Wheeler, Frank S. 1886
Wheeler, Fred. R. 1884
White, Alma Emma 1884
White, Carlton H. 1884
White, Charles H. 1874
White, George I. 1884
White, George W. 1865
White, Henry G. 1891 and 1852
White, James Penfield 1884
White, James Platt 1884
White, Martha 1886
White, Seymour P. 1884
White, William L. 1884
Whiting, Charles L. 1884
Whiting, Mrs. Charles L. 1884
Wiener, Magnus 1885
Wilcox, Ansley 1884
Wilcox, Cornelia R. 1884
Wilcox, Daniel H. 1884
Wilcox, Francis U. 1885
Wilhelm William 1874
Wilkes, H. J. 1884
Wilkeson, Edward S. 1884
Wilkeson, John 1867
Wilkeson, John F. 1885
Wilkeson, Miss Louise 1884
Wilkeson, Samuel H. 1884
Wilkeson, William 1887
Williams, B. H. 1873

Williams, Charles Hoyt 1887
Williams, Miss Caroline G. 1887
Williams, Miss Elizabeth S. 1886
Williams, Frank F. 1884
Williams, Fred. H. 1884
Williams, George L. 1888
Williams, Gibson T. 1891
Williams, Miss Grace 1886
Williams, H. C. 1884
Williams, Mrs. Harriet P. 1886
Williams, John L. 1872
Williams, John P. 1884
Williams, Louis C. 1884
Williams, Martha T. 1891
Wilson, Charles R. 1884
Wilson, G. Reed 1884
Wilson, Charles Townsend 1884
Wilson, Matthew 1854
Wilson, Walter T. 1884
Wilson, W. Morse 1884
Wing, Herbert H. 1884
Winship, W. 1872
Winslow, W. G. 1884
Winslow, Wm. G. J. 1886
Witmer, Mary 1886
Wolf, Miss Grace 1884
Woltge, A. A. 1884
Woodruff, Lauren C. 1884
Woods, Mrs. Nellie A. 1886
Woodworth, Claude H. 1884
Worthington, Miss S. Frances . . 1886
Worthington, S. K. 1865
Wright, A. J. 1886
Wright, Albert B. 1886
Wright, A. R. 1884
Wright, Alfred Park 1886
Wyckoff, C. C. 1884
Young, Wm. Dixon 1892
Zacher, Charles D. 1892
Ziegele, A., Jr. 1886

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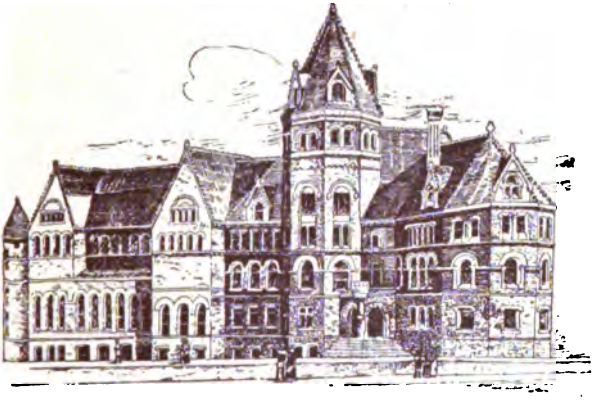
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FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 26, 1894.

The President, Mr. George B. Hayes, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

Upon motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

To the Buffalo Library:

The Library Committee calls attention, with pleasure, to the report of the Superintendent, which shows a gratifying increase in the usefulness of the institution. The year 1892 presented the greatest gain in circulation that has been recorded since the foundation of the Library. It might have been expected that no increase, or if any a very small one, would have followed for the year 1893. As it is, however, the increase in the circulation of books for the past year was 4,000 volumes, which equals the total increase for the four years, 1888 to 1891 inclusive. The circulation of books has now reached the handsome figure of 118,931 volumes, proving that, although the membership of the Library is not as large as it should be, numbering only about 3,000 members, life and annual, besides 900 school children who receive annual tickets, the use of the Library by those entitled to draw books is very active, and averages about thirty volumes per annum for each of such persons. The membership, however, is too small for a city of the size of Buffalo, and as has often been said, it would seem that it might be greatly increased were an organized effort made to gain new members.

It is sometimes said that this institution is not a free library. This is correct so far as withdrawal of books is concerned, but no citizen of Buffalo, however poor, is restricted in the use of the books within the Library walls. Any one may go there and consult its treasures *ad libitum*, and the people are beginning to appreciate this fact.

More than 30,000 volumes are recorded to have been used in the reading rooms during the year 1893, an increase of about ten per cent. over the previous year.

The Library also furnishes freely the magazines of the day, and the best newspapers from the large cities of the country, and during the past year has given to 900 pupils in the public schools of the city, tickets entitling them to draw books from the Library, so that the institution may be called a free library

in a large measure, and is most certainly fulfilling the object intended by those public-spirited men who founded it, and those others who have so generously given their time and money to its maintenance.

No direct contribution to its support is made by the city government, although in most large cities of the country an annual appropriation is made for the public libraries. In our own city, the Grosvenor Library annually receives about $5,000 of the public funds.

It is gratifying to know that in the year 1893, the money at the disposal of the Library for the purchase of books was materially increased over the previous year, and its friends will be pleased to learn that in the coming year a still further increase in the amount available for such purpose may be looked for.

Some time ago, attention was called to the fact that there was great need of adding to the books in certain special lines wherein there was a noticeable deficiency.

The friends of the Library were told, among other things, that there was a great lack of books relating to applied science, and mechanical and industrial arts at large, and it is with the greatest pleasure that we are able to report that Mr. J. J. Albright has generously purchased the most important works required to fill the want in this department, and has added 127 volumes to the Library. It is earnestly hoped that this example may be followed in the future.

It is extremely gratifying to find that the ability and earnestness of our Superintendent have been recognized outside of the institution and city in which he has faithfully labored for so many years; and that in the past year Mr. Larned was chosen President of the American Library Association. It is an honor fittingly bestowed. In this connection, we feel it is most appropriate to record the expression of the appreciation on the part of the Buffalo Library of the valuable work which its Superintendent has just given to the public, and it is eminently proper that the resolution adopted at a recent meeting of the Board of Managers should be incorporated in this report. The resolution was as follows:

Resolved, That the Board of Managers of the Buffalo Library hereby expresses and records its great gratification at the publication by Mr. J. N. Larned, its Superintendent, of his "History for Ready Reference." This work will be an enduring monument to the industry and ability of Mr. Larned, who has been for so many years at the head of our institution, and we feel that it not only reflects great credit upon its author, but also upon the Library in which he has conducted his work, and with which he has been so long and honorably identified.

FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
Acting Chairman Library Committee.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Curators of the Library and Members of the Library Committee.

GENTLEMEN: It gives me pleasure to report, for the past year, a considerable enlargement of the acquisitions to the Library, and of its ability to meet increasing calls upon it. It owes this gain in part to an improvement of its own resources, permitting a more liberal expenditure of money for books, and, in part, to the liberality of a gentleman connected with its Board of Managers, who has enriched quite extensively, at his own cost, one of the most important departments in our collection of books.

Mr. J. J. Albright, to whom I refer, has taken upon himself the entire payment for a largely increased purchase of books in applied science, mechanics and industrial arts at large, extending to a total of 127 volumes, of a generally expensive class, and including the complete series of transactions of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. The Library was weak in the more recent and more important literature belonging to these classes; but it is now quite strongly supplied, for the time being, and well prepared to aid the studies and investigations of those who are engaged in scientific industries. A special catalogue of works on the subjects here referred to—mechanical and technical—has been prepared for publication, and is now in readiness for the printer. A free distribution of this catalogue, such as has

been contemplated, will assuredly widen interest in the Library and extend its usefulness.

From the funds of the Library, books have been purchased this year to the value of $3,725.45, against $2,374.32 last year. The total additions made by purchase number 2,399 volumes, against 1,887. Of the books bought, 126 volumes were to replace worn out and lost copies of older works.

The circulation of books shows an increase of more than 4,000 volumes over the previous year, having advanced to 118,931. The use of fiction has slightly declined. The most noticeable gains have been in other regions of belles-lettres and in history. The recorded use of books in the reading rooms was increased from 28,950 volumes to 31,556. The unrecorded use of open reference books, which is many times greater, is also increasing very rapidly.

We have been able during the past year to supply the little shelf of new books, duplicated for casual readers, in what we call "The Nook," somewhat more freely than before, and I hope that it will be possible in the coming year to make it still more attractive. I am confident that these books afford a satisfaction to many readers which more than justifies the small expenditure upon them.

The free tickets issued to pupils in the public schools were increased last September to 800 in number, and generally speaking they have been well used. It is my judgment that the number could be still further enlarged with great profit to the community, and with no loss to the Library.

The annual checking of the Library last summer showed diminished losses. We found but 38 volumes of fiction unaccounted for, and 31 volumes from other classes. Only three of the latter were from the reference books freely exposed in The Study, and none of the lost books were of much value.

The usual statistics are appended.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED,
Superintendent.

APPENDIX A.

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1894.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy, . .	103	175	77	76	31	50	66	80	95	94	76	103	945	.0071
Religion, ...	94	186	114	140	125	109	142	119	143	159	123	185	1,720	.0146
Social Science, .	253	255	200	175	83	80	106	154	163	234	180	255	2,138	.0180
Language, . .	21	14	11	6	13	8	16	27	27	27	16	19	205	.0018
Natural Science,	224	184	164	163	123	127	101	152	191	264	203	245	2,141	.0181
Useful Arts, . .	116	121	125	92	71	81	74	100	117	130	140	168	1.335	.0113
Fine Arts, . . .	181	228	187	143	96	145	113	137	165	195	168	226	1,984	.0167
Gen'l Literature,	948	1,196	982	952	574	610	625	745	857	1,028	903	1,176	10,596	.0892
Juvenile Fiction,	1,080	10,101	967	764	610	793	825	757	907	1,230	1,207	1,373	11,614	.0977
Fiction, ...	6,097	6,706	6,252	6,080	4,790	5,571	5,907	5,926	5,736	6,174	6,047	7,122	72,408	.6089
Travel, ...	379	450	372	264	170	174	174	169	297	419	370	383	3,621	.0305
Biography, . .	486	475	379	335	181	200	218	264	364	458	379	492	4,231	.0356
History, . . .	599	559	486	417	259	236	252	447	596	756	659	725	5,993	.0505
Totals, . .	10,662	11,569	10,316	9,607	7,126	8,184	8,619	9,077	9,660	11,168	10,471	12,472	118,931	1.0000
Books used in the Library for reference.	3,038	3,034	3,134	2,112	1,144	1,850	1,904	2,589	3,026	2,152	3.956	3,617	31,556	

APPENDIX B.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

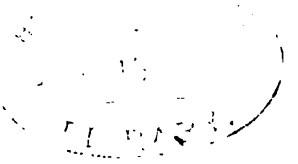
	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography, ...	27	771	1,327
General Cyclopædias, ...	32	319	...
General Periodicals, ...	17	1,389	22
Polygraphy, etc., ...	1	249	14
Philosophy, ...	48	1,376	203
Religion, ...	91	5,208	382
Law, Politics, Political Economy, etc., ...	119	5,993	1,088

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Education,	23	752	617
Commerce,	35	922	668
Statistics,	23	527	45
Other Social Subjects,	30	804	259
Philology,	4	554	28
Natural Science,	333	4,125	298
Useful Arts,	155	3,765	627
Fine Arts,	76	2,361	131
Literary Periodicals,	286	3,939	...
English Poetry, Criticism, etc.,	109	4,643	53
English Prose Fiction,	631	11,519	4
German Poetry, etc.,	10	521	...
German Prose Fiction,	44	806	...
French Poetry, etc.,	8	767	12
French Prose Fiction,	45	1,105	1
Italian Literature,	8	170	2
Spanish Literature,	...	99	...
Greek and Latin Literature,	9	428	2
Other Literature,	10	446	3
Travel and Description,	149	4,680	180
Travel: Maps (411),	...		...
Biography,	144	5,282	239
History: American,	68	2,807	427
History: Other Countries,	225	4,772	85
Local History and Literature,	44	1,132	2,026
New Books, (duplicates in The Nook),	...	55	...
		72,288	8,743
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		992	
		73,280	

Added during the year:

By purchase,	2,399
By gift,	426
By binding,	208
By exchange,	11
From other sources,	3
	3,047

Expended for books,	$3,725.45
Expended for binding,	435.67



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CHARLES R. WILSON,	PORTER NORTON,	GEORGE W. DERRICK,
CHARLES CLIFTON.	JOSEPH P. DUDLEY.	HARRY T. RAMSDELL.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Library,	F. F. WILLIAMS, ALBRIGHT, MINER, P. NORTON, CLIFTON.
Finance,	GATCHELL, DUDLEY, G. L. WILLIAMS, RAMSDELL, BURTIS, (*ex-officio*).
Law	P. NORTON, DONALDSON, N. W. NORTON.
Membership,	G. L. WILLIAMS, G. R. WILSON, DERRICK, CLIFTON, WARREN.
Lectures,	DUDLEY, N. W. NORTON, G. L. WILLIAMS.
Donations,	RAMSDELL, P. NORTON, G. R. WILSON.
Newspapers and Periodicals,	F. F. WILLIAMS, ALBRIGHT, P. NORTON, CLIFTON.
Rooms and Fixtures,	CLIFTON, DUDLEY, DERRICK.
Printing,	WARREN, P. NORTON, C. R. WILSON, (*ex-officio*).
Archives,	N. W. NORTON, DUDLEY, GATCHELL.
Auditor,	DONALDSON.

BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

RALPH H. PLUMB, EDWARD H. MOVIUS, HERBERT P. BISSELL.
HENRY C. FRENCH, (*ex-officio*), PETER P. BURTIS, (*ex-officio*).

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE LIBRARY.

J. N. LARNED.

LIBRARIAN.

WILLIAM IVES.

FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

FIFTY-EIGHTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 26, 1894.

The President, Mr. George B. Hayes, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

Upon motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

FINANCE COMMITTEE.

To the President and Members of the Buffalo Library:

The Finance Committee have nothing new to report for the year 1893 but what will be included in the report of the Treasurer. We, however, present below the condition of the Library fund on January 1st, 1894:

Notes of Buffalo Library,	$37,000.00
Mortgages,	29,527.00
Cash in bank,	129.03
Real estate, formerly estimated at $1,885, sold for $1,700, on which $500 in cash has been paid, and a mortgage of $1,200 received,	1,200.00
	$67,856.03

One Life Membership added to the Library fund during 1893.

GEO. S. GATCHELL,
Chairman.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

P. P. BURTIS, *Treasurer, in account with the* BUFFALO LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Received from late Treasurer,		$ 885.27
Dues,	$4,283.40	
Fines,	787.33	
Rents of Books,	161.30	
Finding Lists,	4.60	
Books sold,	41.95	
Gas Bill refunded,	36.36	
		5,314.94
Transferred from Sinking Fund,		4,500.00
From Real Estate Commissioners,		3,200.00

Library Fund Interest Account:

Interest, O'Grady Mortgage,	27.00	
" McBurney "	92.12	
" Kankiewicz "	91.20	
" Delehanty "	46.32	
" Matteson "	21.00	
" Bassil "	10.55	

Interest, Francis	Mortgage	$ 108.00	
" Close & Wile	"	81.00	
" O'Mara	"	33.00	
" Bank Account	"	57.33	
" McGowan	"	23.10	
" Norton, Allen	"	120.00	
" Folinsbee, Allen	"	120.00	
" Ratajczki	"	69.75	
" Quinlivin	"	30.00	
" Curtiss	"	360.00	
" Barzancki	"	48.81	
" Arend	"	30.00	
" Close & Wile	"	81.00	
" Close & Wile	"	63.00	
" Close & Wile	"	81.00	
" O'Connor	"	24.00	
" Postolese	"	24.00	
Rent, Chicago Street,		45.00	
Interest, Library Notes,		2,220.00	
" McManus,		108.00	
			$ 4,015.18
			$17,915.39

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid on $60,000 Third Mortgage,		$ 4,500.00
Paid Library Committee:		
Salaries,	$6,835.46	
Expenses,	179.11	
		7,014.57
Books,	3,725.45	
Binding,	438.67	
		4,164.12
Rooms and Fixtures Committee,		311.08
Newspapers and Periodicals Committee,		506.41
Printing Committee,		409.75
Law Committee,		55.00
Accrued Interest on Mortgages purchased,		196.50
Election Expenses,		32.60
Balance on hand,		725.36
		$17,915.39

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1894.

Cash Account of the Library Fund.

Receipts.

Balance on hand at last report,		$ 6,981.03
Payments on Investments:		
McBurney Mortgage, in full,	$4,000.00	
O'Grady " " "	100.00	
Ratajczki " " "	50.00	
Delehanty " " "	100.00	
Bassil " " "	246.00	
O'Mara " " "	400.00	
McGowan " " " $320.00, $225.00,	545.00	
Barzancki, " " "	57.00	
		5,498.00
Chicago Street Property sold for $1,700, down payment,		500.00
Life Membership:		
C. O. Shepard,		50.00
		$13,029.03

Disbursements.

Purchased First Mortgages:		
J. C. Francis,	$1,800.00	
Anne McManus,	1,800.00	
Close & Wile,	2,700.00	
Close & Wile,	2,700.00	
Close & Wile,	2,100.00	
Consolor Postolese,	800.00	
Thos. H. Coates,	1,000.00	
		$12,900.00
Cash on hand, February 19, 1894,		129.03
		$13,029.03

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1894.

The Library Fund Consists of

First Mortgages as follows:

S. Barzancki,	$ 785.00
L. F. W. Arend,	500.00
S. Kankiewicz,	1,520.00
Jos. O'Grady,	400.00
Close & Wile,	2,700.00

Close & Wile,	$ 2,100.00	
Close & Wile,	2,700.00	
Jane C. Francis,	1,800.00	
Anne McManus,	1,800.00	
Thos. Delehanty,	722.00	
Edward Matteson,	350.00	
Jas. O'Connor,	700.00	
C. Postolese,	800.00	
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00	
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00	
Martin Quinlivin,	500.00	
Thos. H. Coates,	1,000.00	
W. Ratajczki,	1,150.00	
Mary L. Curtiss,	6,000.00	
Ellen M. McNamara,	1,200.00	
Notes of The Buffalo Library,	7,000.00	
Notes of The Buffalo Library,	10,000.00	
Notes of The Buffalo Library,	20,000.00	
		$67,727.00
Cash in bank February 19, 1894,		129.03
		$67,856.03

I have examined the within securities and find them to agree with the statement.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1894.

Real Estate Account.

Receipts.

Received from N. Rochester, late Treas., February 27, 1893,		$9,588.35
Received for Rents:		
Clergy House,	$ 915.00	
Historical Society,	500.00	
Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences,	2,500.00	
Lecture Room,	60.00	
Buffalo Fine Arts Academy,	200 00	
		4,175.00
363 Main Street,	2,000.03	
369 " "	3,000.00	
361 " "	2,400.00	
367 " "	1,800.00	
Hotel Iroquois,	43,800.00	
		53,000.03
Interest, bank account, $25.00, $11.19, $136.66,		172.85
		$66,936.23

DISBURSEMENTS.

Library Building Account:		
Fuel,	$1,523.59	
Insurance,	115.00	
Water Tax,	61.30	
Supplies and Repairs,	359.93	
Engineer,	1,020.00	
Janitor and Help,	843.98	
		$3,923.80
Hotel Iroquois Account:		
Chas. Berrick & Sons for Chimney,	5,748.98	
One-fifth of Main Street Paving Tax,	128.22	
Plate Glass Insurance,	67.98	
Insurance,	178.50	
Irlbacker & Davis,	248.18	
Machwirth Bros.,	85.11	
Local Taxes,	15.95	
Sundries,	49.10	
		6,522.02
Buffalo Library,		6,200.00
Interest:		
Buffalo Savings Bank, $600,000 Mortgage,	21,000.00	
Coupons, $250,000, Second Mortgage Bonds,	12,500.00	
Third Mortgage,	3,360.00	
$37,000 Buffalo Library Notes,	2,220.00	
		39,080.00
Cash on hand February 23, 1894,		11,210.41
		$66,936.23

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1894.

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand as reported by late Treasurer,	$1,565.00	
Received from Treasurer of Buffalo Library,	3,000.00	
		$4,565.00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Treasurer of Buffalo Library to pay on Third Mortgage,	$4,500.00	
Balance on hand February 23, 1894,	65.00	
		$4,565.00

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1894.

LAW COMMITTEE.

To the Board of Managers of the Buffalo Library:

During the current year, the Law Committee has audited accounts coming under its supervision for insurance amounting to $55.00. There are some slight changes in the investments of the Library caused by payment of mortgages and re-investment of its funds. The data concerning these bonds and mortgages appears in the Treasurer's report.

In November, a sale of the Chicago Street lot was negotiated with Mrs. Ellen McNamara for $1,700 of which she paid $500 in cash, securing the balance by her purchase money bond and mortgage upon the property.

Pursuant to a resolution of the Board, your committee submitted the draft of a proposed amendment to the act of incorporation, by which a trust fund is created to be used solely and exclusively for Library purposes and exempt from the claims of general creditors. Donors to the Library have made serious objections to submitting their gifts to any hazards of business or investments and have urged the necessity of creating a special fund free from any possible claims of creditors, and which should be devoted exclusively to Library purposes. To answer and meet this demand, this amendment was drawn seeking to establish an exempt fund, and the report has been referred to a special committee with power.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM L. MARCY,
Chairman.

DONATIONS.

To the Board of Managers of the Buffalo Library:

Your Committee on Donations report that the Library has received by gift during the year past 744 volumes and 423 pamphlets. A considerable number of these having been found

to be duplicates of books already possessed, were placed with the duplicates we hold for sale or exchange. The net addition made by gift to the classified and catalogued books of the Library has been 426 volumes.

To Mr. J. J. Albright we are indebted for the most important gift of the year. He authorized our superintendent to purchase for the Library a very valuable selection of recent works in the Department of Applied Science and Mechanics. The purchases paid for by Mr. Albright amounted to 127 volumes, generally of a rather expensive class.

Other gifts received of much value are 12 volumes from the American Swedenborg Printing and Publishing Society; 23 volumes of Canadian Government Publication from John Charlton, Esq., M. P.; 47 volumes of United States Government Publications from the Hon. Charles Daniels; 86 miscellaneous publications from Mr. P. A. Matteson; 34 volumes of New York State documents from the Secretary of State; 14 volumes of periodicals, etc., from Mr. F. J. Shepard; 9 volumes from Miss Emily C. Rochester; 17 volumes from the Hon. E. G. Spaulding; 18 volumes from the Smithsonian Institute; 153 volumes of United States Government Publications, from the Department of the Interior; 180 charts from the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES L. GURNEY.
Chairman.

MEMBERSHIP.

To the Members of the Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Membership respectfully presents the following statistics of membership:

Annual members added, 1893-1894,	504	
Life members elected under the will of LeGrand Marvin,	3	
Life member on payment of $50,	1	
		508

Members resigned,	340	
Members dropped for absence and non-payment of dues,	211	
Annual members, deceased,	13	
Life members, deceased,	17	
		581
Total annual membership, February 13, 1894,	1,588	
Total life members, February 13, 1894,	1,162	
Total honorary members, February 13, 1894,	24	
		2,774

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. WILLIAMS,

Chairman.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

To the Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals respectfully reports, that it has during the year last passed expended the sum of $506.41 for newspapers and periodicals for the use of the Library. There are on file in the reading rooms for free use of the public 208 publications, of which 85 are gifts to the Library. The following is a list of the same:

Daily Newspapers,	20
Weekly Newspapers,	58
Fortnightlies,	3
Monthlies,	78
Bi-monthlies,	6
Quarterlies,	23
Occasionals,	20
	208

One hundred and forty-seven of these periodicals are bound for preservation. The files of the remainder are kept one year for reference and then disposed of.

BUFFALO, February 26th, 1894.

Very respectfully submitted,

PORTER NORTON,

of Committee.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

To the Buffalo Library:

In the report of the Board of Real Estate last year, it was stated that the main chimney of the Iroquois Hotel building had proved inadequate to its requirements, and that the building of a new one would probably be unavoidable. The result of much expert examination of the matter was in accordance with the expectation then reported, and the new chimney was erected during the past summer, at a total cost, including steam connections, of $5,997.16. This heavy outlay was undertaken with great reluctance; but it was so clearly a necessity that your Board could not hesitate, when it had learned the facts of the case with certainty.

With equal reluctance another large expenditure was entered on last fall, when serious leakages about the roof of the hotel building were traced to the terra-cotta construction of the cornices, and found to require an extensive alteration. By substituting brick for the terra-cotta cornices, and by a considerable use of copper sheathing, the leaking has been stopped, and a permanent cure of the defect apparently brought about. The cost of the repair has been about $3,100, which remains to be paid hereafter.

Aside from this charge upon the income of the next year, there seems at present to be no probability of any unusual expenditure, except for the preservation of the exterior woodwork of the first floor of the hotel. Some important improvements in the hotel building are contemplated, including the opening of a principal entrance from Main Street, with the construction of a porch; but this, if done, will be undertaken by the lessees of the hotel, at their own expense.

It is a pleasure to your Board to be able to report a prospective increase of income from the real property of the Library, which will offset in some measure the repeated and discouraging accounts we have been forced to bring before you so often, of

unexpected and heavy expenditures. The existing leases of stores in the hotel building expire on the first of May next, and they have been leased anew at advanced rentals, for a term which will expire with the lease of the hotel, on the first of May, 1900. Mr. Riggs and Mr. Barr renew their leases, the former at $3,750 per year, the latter at 2,500, which is an advance from $3,000 in the first instance, and from $2,000 in the second. The two stores, Nos. 361 and 367 Main Street, now paying $2,400 and $1,800 per annum respectively, have been leased to the hotel proprietors for an aggregate rental of $5,250, provided that the store No. 361 be converted into the proposed new hotel entrance before May 1st, 1895; otherwise, the rental of the two stores in question is to be $5,750 per annum.

The lease to St. John's Church, of the building known as the Clergy House expired at the beginning of the present year. It has been sub-let for some time past to the City of Buffalo for school purposes, and a proposal is now under consideration by the Board of Public Works for the leasing of the building at $2,100 for the year, exclusive of steam heating, which shall be paid for additionally at a rate equal to the cost to the city of the heating of other school buildings of like seating capacity. The inadequate rent now paid for the building is $1,220, steam heating included.

As a measure of prudence, notwithstanding the fireproof character of both the Library and hotel buildings, your Board has lately increased the amount of insurance on both, at very low rates. The Library building is now covered to the sum of $200,000 at two-tenths of one per cent., and the hotel building to the sum of $400,000 at one-fourth of one per cent.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH H. PLUMB,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed inspectors for the election of Officers and Directors of the Buffalo Library, held in the Library building, on Tuesday, the 13th day of February, A. D. 1894, do hereby certify that at the said election the following named persons received, severally, the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

Henry C. French, for President,	490
Peter P. Burtis, for Treasurer,	490
William L. Marcy, for Curator,	206
Worthington C. Miner, for Curator,	294
George Bleistein, for Manager,	174
Edward H. Rounds, for Manager,	167
Willis O. Chapin, for Manager,	204
Thomas T. Ramsdell, for Manager,	208
William C. Warren, for Manager,	322
Nathaniel W. Norton, for Manager,	317
George W. Derrick, for Manager,	224
Harry T. Ramsdell, for Manager,	293
George B. Hayes, for Real Estate Commissioner,	102
Herbert P. Bissell, for Real Estate Commissioner,	172

And we further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President,	HENRY C. FRENCH.
Treasurer,	PETER P. BURTIS.
Curator,	WORTHINGTON C. MINER.
Managers,	WILLIAM C. WARREN, NATHANIEL W. NORTON, GEORGE W. DERRICK, HARRY T. RAMSDELL.
Real Estate Commissioner,	HERBERT P. BISSELL.

HOWARD H. BAKER,
HENRY BULL,
FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
} *Inspectors.*

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The retiring President, Mr. George B. Hayes, then delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library:

Upon retiring from the office of President of the Buffalo Library, I desire to thank my associates in the management of its affairs, for their assistance and watchful care in all matters pertaining tc its welfare. How well they have performed these duties is shown by the reports of the different committees, the Treasurer and Board of Real Estate. It would be but a repetition of these reports for me to particularize the work accomplished by them.

As one deeply interested in this institution and the grand work it is accomplishing, permit me to say that the citizens of Buffalo generally, irrespective of creed or nationality, should not be satisfied with its present financial condition. Its income barely meets its expenses, and the prime object of its existence, the diffusion of knowledge, is hampered for the want of funds.

I believe in looking things straight in the face. If we do this, we will see that the Buffalo Library, in doing a grand thing for the city of Buffalo, in the building of the Iroquois Hotel, assumed an enormous bonded debt. That while the income of the Library meets its expenses in a way, no sum or sums can be yearly set aside as a sinking fund to pay off this debt.

After all obligations have been met, the Library receives what is left, and as you have probably noticed in the reports of former Library Committees, this has been barely enough to maintain life.

We are sailing under false colors. The public think we are rich, and therefore those who are inclined to give to worthy institutions pass us by with the thought, "they are not in need."

I believe that if we should sell the hotel property, pay off the bonds, and then if necessary appeal to the lovers of this institution, sufficient funds would be raised to put it in a position which

it merits, and where its friends could say the object is accomplished.

Until such time arrives, I strongly advise the protection of the Library fund by legislative enactment, so that the income from bequests or gifts of any kind to the fund cannot be used for any other purpose than that designated by the donor. We have during the past year passed such a by-law, but this does not go far enough, and steps have been taken by the Law Committee to have the Legislature pass such a law.

It gives me great pleasure to welcome to the office of President of this Library, so earnest and enthusiastic a worker as Mr. Henry C. French, who will now assume the duties of the office.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

The President-elect, Mr. Henry C. French, then took the chair and delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library: Referring to the Annual Reports for the past five years, I regret to find that the Library Committees have been unable, for want of funds, to purchase the current literature of the day, and have added almost nothing to the older literature, of which the Library is very much in need, in many of the most important departments of letters. This deplorable fact exists, notwithstanding there has been a constantly increasing demand for the use of the Library's resources. It seems to me that this condition of the Library should be remedied, and that every effort should be put forward this year, to place the committee in funds for the purchase of books and periodicals that are actually needed. I have no matured plan to offer for raising the money necessary to accomplish this most desirable result, but feel that the time has come when something should be done in this direction, and I assure you that any feasible plan which the Board may see fit to adopt, will receive my most hearty support.

A hope which seems reasonable has been sometimes expressed that men of wealth and liberality may be persuaded to create special funds for the endowment of particular departments of the Library, such funds to be so distinctly appropriated that the income derived from them shall be applied to the purchase of designated classes of books, and shall not be used for any other purpose. Some gentleman, or gentlemen, who feel a special interest in the promotion of the study of American History, might thus endow a fund for the strengthening of the Library in that department. Others may provide in like manner for the collection of books in some of the branches of pure science, or in applied science, or the fine arts, or in German literature, or in French literature, or in political science and economics. Those who contributed to such endowments would be furthering the object of the Library in the directions which seem most important to them, while releasing its general income for more liberal expenditures in other fields.

The Buffalo Library is a noble institution. It has exerted a great influence in the advancement of the moral and intellectual growth of the city. It has aided in the education of our youth in the public schools. It has not only taken care of itself, but has assisted and fostered the interests of the Fine Arts Academy, Society of Natural Sciences and the Buffalo Historical Society. The success of our association and the proud position we occupy to-day, are due to a generous public and the wise, energetic and efficient management of its officers, who have been of the leading men of the city. The young men who, in the early days of the association, were identified with its management, have shown us an example worthy of emulation; the struggles and vicissitudes which they encountered and their heroic devotion and firm determination to carry on and complete the good work will ever stand as a monument to their memory.

It is our desire to conduct your affairs during the coming year so as to merit your approval, and I trust we shall be able at the end of our term of office to show some advancement in the work entrusted to our care, and may we hope that the young men of

the city, in the future as in the past, will become members of our association, and that they will take an active interest in its elections and management, and that the Buffalo Library shall not only continue but increase its usefulness in our city.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The President-elect then announced the standing committees for the ensuing year, as follows:

Library—F. F. Williams, Albright, Miner, Porter Norton and Clifton.

Finance—Gatchell, Dudley, G. L. Williams, Ramsdell and Burtis (*ex-officio*).

Law—Porter Norton, Donaldson, N. W. Norton.

Membership—G. L. Williams, G. R. Wilson, Derrick, Clifton and Warren.

Lectures—Dudley, N. W. Norton and G. L. Williams.

Donations—Ramsdell, Porter Norton and G. R. Wilson.

Newspapers and Periodicals—F. F. Williams, Albright, Porter Norton and Clifton.

Rooms and Fixtures—Clifton, Dudley and Derrick.

Printing—Warren, Porter Norton and Charles R. Wilson (*ex-officio*).

Archives—N. W. Norton, Dudley and Gatchell.

Auditor—Robert S. Donaldson.

Mr. Norton offered the following resolution which was duly seconded, and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of the Buffalo Library are hereby extended to Mr. Albright for his generous and valuable gift of scientific books, which has materially added to the Scientific Department of the Library.

On motion of Mr. Ralph H. Plumb, it was

Resolved, That the thanks of the Library Association be extended to President George B. Hayes, and to the retiring members of the Board.

Mr. Howard H. Baker moved that one thousand copies of the Annual Report be printed for distribution.

Carried.

The meeting, on motion, then adjourned.

CHARLES R. WILSON,
Recording Secretary.

SYNOPSIS OF LIBRARY RULES.

Members may have two books at one time, or more by paying ten cents for each extra volume.

New books in much demand may be kept one week; other books, two weeks.

Charge for retention over time, three cents per day on each book.

Costly books and volumes in series, periodicals, etc., may be drawn under special conditions.

All injuries to books must be paid for.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

1. The privileges of the Buffalo Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library Building are *free* to all.

2. The Buffalo Library is open on Sundays from one o'clock to six o'clock P. M., and all are welcome.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Aberdeen Public Library,	...	1
Albright, John J.,	127	...
American Anti-Vivisection Society,	...	1
American Institute of Mining Engineers,	1	...
American Philosophical Society,	1	...
American Swedenborg Printing and Publishing Society,	12	...
Amherst College,	...	1
Argentine Commissioner World's Columbian Exposition,	2	...
Astor Library,	...	2
Atkins, E. C. & Co., Indianapolis,	...	1
Balch, E. S., Philadelphia,	1	...
Birkenhead Free Public Library,	...	1
Birmingham (England) Free Library,	...	1
Bishop, Hon. Charles F.,	...	1
Boston Children's Hospital,	...	1
Boston Public Library,	...	6
Boston Record Commissioners,	1	...
Bourinot, J. G., Esq., Clerk of the House of Commons, Canada,	3	...
Bowdoin College,	...	3
Bronson Library, Waterbury, Conn.,	...	2
Brookline Public Library,	...	1
Brooklyn Library,	...	1
Bryant, J. S.,	1	...
Brymner, Douglas, Archivist of Canada,	1	...
Buffalo Builders' Exchange,	1	...
Buffalo Catholic Truth Society,	...	1
Buffalo Charity Organization Society,	...	1
Buffalo Christian Homestead Association,	...	1
Buffalo City Clerk,	2	...
Buffalo College of Pharmacy,	...	1
Buffalo Fire Department,	...	1
Buffalo Historical Society,	...	1
Buffalo Merchants' Exchange,	...	1
Buffalo Park Commissioners,	...	1
Buffalo State Hospital,	...	1
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association,	...	2
California Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Cambridge (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Cambridge Tribune,	...	1
Carnegie Free Library,	...	1
Charlton, John, Esq., M. P.,	23	15
Chicago Board of Trade,	1	...
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1885	4,657.34	646.71	3,072	133	327		95	1,369		3.00		84,918	3,144.00			1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,327.97	625.68	3,522	154	337	2		1,509		3.00	225,000.00	59,941	2,917.09			599.38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	3,724.35	800.51	3,191	173	600	2		1,614		3.00		89,935	3,667.75	124,879.25			22,183.74	Jewett M. Richmond
1888	3,365.21	637.17	2,807	191	901		8	2,178		3.00		100,136	4,400.49				22,183.74	George Gorham.
1889	3,115.36	673.68	2,830	182	437	1	6	1,881		3.00	935,000.00	112,600	1,993.85	9,700.00		15,772.00	31,883.74	Daniel H. McMillan.
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Sidway, Franklin 1873
Sidway, Harold S. 1886
Sill, Henry S. 1885
Simson, Andrew 1884
Simpson, Charles S. 1886
Sirret, William B. 1870
Slade, William H. 1881
Sloan, William W., Jr. 1886
Smith, Carlton M. 1884
Smith, Chauncy P. 1884
Smith, Edward B. 1884
Smith, Mrs. Edward B. 1884
Smith, Miss Grace A. 1884
Smith, Henry E. 1884
Smith, James M. 1881
Smith, James R. 1872
Smith, John H. 1874
Smith, Junius S. 1884
Smith, Moses 1884
Smith, Pemberton 1884
Smith, Philip S. 1872
Smith, Preston 1884
Smith, T. Guilford 1884
Smith, Mrs. T. Guilford 1884
Smyth, Miss Sara S. 1885
Snow, George B. 1884
Southwick, A. P. 1881
Spaulding, Andrew 1884
Spaulding, Charlotte 1886
Spaulding, Edward R. 1870
Spaulding, Elbridge G. 1837
Spaulding, Elbridge G., Jr. 1886
Spaulding, Henry B. 1885
Spaulding, Marion 1886
Spaulding, Samuel S. 1870
Spaulding, Samuel S., Jr. 1885
Spaulding, Stephen V. R. 1885
Spayth, Harry 1884
Spencer, Seth S. 1884
Spiegel, M. 1884
Sprague, Albert B. 1884
Sprague, Carlton 1884
Sprague, E. Carlton 1881
Sprague, Henry Ware 1884
Springer, H. C. 1888
Steele, Charles G. 1872
Steele, O. G. 1865
Stern, Jacob 1884
Sternberg, Charles F. 1855
Stoddard, Ella M. 1884
Straight, M. B. 1884
Strauss, Peter 1871
Swain, Miss Eleanor 1871
Sweeney, James 1881
Sweeney, James, Jr., ... 1884
Sweeney, Katharine S. 1884
Sweet, Charles A. 1872
Sweet, Charles A., Jr., ... 1886
Sweet, Charlotte P. 1884
Sweet, D. B. 1886
Sweet, D.C. 1885
Sweet, George C. 1884
Sweet, J. B. 1884
Sweet, Winniford F. 1884
Taylor, Etta Irene 1886
Taylor, Walter L, ... 1885
Thompson, A. Porter 1886
Thompson, Sheldon 1886
Thornton, George H. 1866
Tifft, Mrs. Lily Lord 1885
Tifft, Mrs. Lucy Lord 1884
Tilden, Jared H. 1876
Tillinghast, James 1884
Tillinghast, James D. 1884
Titus, Robert C. 1888
Townsend, George W. 1867
Townsend, Mrs. Geo. W. 1884
Treft, John C. 1888
Tripp, A. F. 1880
Truscott, Frederick 1884
Tryon, George H. 1884
Tryon, Geo. H., Jr. 1885
Tucker, Risley 1884
Tuthill, E. D. 1886
Tuthill, H. S. 1886

Tweedie, Wm. S. 1884
Urban, Emma M. 1886
Urban, George, Jr. 1874
Urban, Mrs. George, Jr. 1884
Urban, George P. 1886
Urban, Mary Witmer 1886
Urban, William C. 1886
Utley, Mrs. Celia 1884
Utley, Charles H. 1884
Utley, Mrs. Mary B. 1885
Van Velsor, John 1885
Viele, Sheldon T. 1884
Vought, Miss Anna W. 1885
Vought, Miss Mary V. 1885
Vought, W. G. 1870
Wadsworth, Charles F. 1865
Wadsworth, H. C. 1884
Walbridge, Harry 1884
Walbridge, Newman 1884
Walker, E. C. 1884
Walker, Stephen 1872
Walker, William H. 1881
Walls, John 1872
Ward, Francis G. 1890
Wardwell, George S. 1870
Warner, E. C. 1884
Warner, H. H. 1884
Warren, Edward S. 1884
Warren, James D., Jr. 1885
Warren, James G. 1874
Warren, M. F. 1884
Warren, Wm. C. 1884
Warren, Wm. Y. 1884
Watson, Arnold B. 1884
Watson, Mrs. Charlotte A. 1884
Watson, Gertrude 1884
Watson, H. M. 1884
Watson, W. H. 1884
Weber, John B. 1884
Weber, Miss May F. 1885
Webster, Edward H. 1884
Webster, Ellis 1884
Weed, Miss Emelie 1885
Weed, Geo. T. 1885
Weed, Hattie M. 1886
Weed, Hobart 1881
Weed, Sheldon 1885
Weed, Walter I. 1885
Welch, Deshler 1874
Welch, S. M. 1872
Welch, Samuel M., Jr. 1866
Welch, Theodore F. 1884
Wells, Charles W. 1886
Wende, Theodore 1891
Westcott, Ira S. 1893
Wheeler, Carrie W. 1884
Wheeler, Charles B. 1884
Wheeler, Frank S. 1886
Wheeler, Fred R. 1884
White, Alma Emma 1884
White, Carlton H. 1884
White, Charles H. 1874
White, George I. 1884
White, George W. 1865
White, Henry G. 1891 and 1852
White, James Penfield 1884
White, James Platt 1884
White, Martha 1886
White, Seymour P. 1884
White, William L. 1884
Whiting, Charles L. 1884
Whiting, Mrs. Charles L. 1884
Wiener, Magnus 1885
Wilcox, Ansley 1884
Wilcox, Cornelia R. 1884
Wilcox, Daniel H. 1884
Wilcox, Francis U. 1885
Wilhelm, William 1874
Wilkes, H. J. 1884
Wilkeson, Edward S. 1884
Wilkeson, John 1867
Wilkeson, John F. 1885
Wilkeson, Miss Louise 1884
Wilkeson, Samuel H. 1884
Wilkeson, William 1887
Williams, B. H. 1873
Williams, Charles Hoyt 1887
Williams, Miss Caroline G. 1887
Williams, Miss Elizabeth S. 1886
Williams, Frank F. 1884
Williams, Fred. H. 1884
Williams, George L. 1888
Williams, Gibson T 1891
Williams, Miss Grace 1886
Williams, H. C. 1884
Williams, Mrs. Harriet P. 1886

Williams, John L.	1872	Wolf, Miss Grace	1884
Williams, John P.	1884	Woltge, A. A.	1884
Williams, Louis C.	1884	Woodruff, Lauren C.	1884
Williams, Martha T.	1891	Woods, Mrs. Nellie A.	1886
Wilson, Charles R.	1884	Woodworth, Claude H.	1884
Wilson, G. Reed	1884	Worthington, Miss S. Frances	1886
Wilson, Charles Townsend	1884	Worthington, S. K.	1865
Wilson, Matthew	1854	Wright, A. J.	1886
Wilson, Walter T.	1884	Wright, Albert B.	1886
Wilson, W. Morse	1884	Wright, A. R.	1884
Wing, Herbert H.	1884	Wright, Alfred Park	1886
Winship, W.	1872	Wyckoff, C. C.	1884
Winslow, W. G.	1884	Young, Wm. Dixon	1892
Winslow, Wm. G. J.	1886	Zacher, Charles D.	1892
Witmer, Mary	1886	Ziegele, A., Jr.	1886

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Smith, Rev. Charles H.
Smith, Rev. T. Ralston
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1895.

FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

BOARD OF MANAGERS

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY



AND

THIRTIETH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

ANNUAL MEETING, FEBRUARY 27, 1895.

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Library,	F. F. WILLIAMS, ALBRIGHT, MINER, P. NORTON, CLIFTON.
Finance,	GATCHELL, DUDLEY, G. L. WILLIAMS, RAMSDELL, BURTIS, (*ex-officio*).
Law	P. NORTON, DONALDSON, N. W. NORTON.
Membership,	G. L. WILLIAMS, G. R. WILSON, DERRICK, CLIFTON, WARREN.
Lectures,	DUDLEY, N. W. NORTON, G. L. WILLIAMS.
Donations,	RAMSDELL, P. NORTON. G. R. WILSON.
Newspapers and Periodicals,	F. F. WILLIAMS, ALBRIGHT, P. NORTON, CLIFTON.
Rooms and Fixtures,	CLIFTON, DUDLEY, DERRICK.
Printing,	WARREN, P. NORTON, C. R. WILSON, (*ex-officio*).
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Auditor,	DONALDSON.

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LIBRARIAN.

WILLIAM IVES.

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Finance, ... GATCHELL, WILLIAMS, RAMSDELL, TOWNSEND, BURTIS, (*ex-officio*).
Law, ... PORTER NORTON, N. W. NORTON, DEPEW.
Membership, ... WILLIAMS, WARREN, ADAM, HARROWER.
Lectures, ... ADAM, DEPEW, GATCHELL.
Donations, ... RAMSDELL, WARREN, HARROWER.
Newspapers and Periodicals, ALBRIGHT, MINER, WILSON, DEPEW, TOWNSEND.
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Printing, ... WARREN, PORTER NORTON, PUTNAM, (*ex-officio*).
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FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

FIFTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 27, 1895.

The President, Mr. Henry C. French, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

The minutes of the last annual meeting were read and, on motion, approved.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows:

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

It is with great pleasure that the Library Committee are able to report that for the first time in many years some adequate appropriation of money has been possible for the purchase of books. Ever since the erection of the Iroquois Hotel the resources of the Library have been mainly exhausted in paying for repairs and unusual expenses in connection with the hotel; and the funds available for the purchase of books have been extremely limited. During the years 1893 and 1894 the expenditures for this purpose amounted to only the sum of $3,725.45, a sum entirely inadequate to the needs of this institution, being insufficient to meet in any proper manner the demands of the public, and preventing any extension of the Library's usefulness.

In the year 1894, however, owing to the fact that the Library has received some considerable additions to its permanent fund by gift and by devise, and also a material increase in the rentals of the stores in the hotel property, and also because the expenditures for repairs were somewhat less than usual, we have been able to spend some $5,066.24 for books, and $1,665.40 for binding of books and periodicals, giving to the Library an addition to the number of its volumes of 3,978 books.

It is gratifying to know from these figures that the time has at last arrived when the wisdom of erecting the hotel is apparent in its affording an income for the true purposes of the Library, as well as in meeting a want which had long been felt in Buffalo, in the need for a really first-class, modern, fire-proof hotel. By erecting the hotel, the Library conferred a benefit upon the city which cannot be overestimated; although the income derived therefrom until the present time has been exceedingly meagre.

As will be seen by the report of the Superintendent, Mr. Larned, the usefulness of the Library is constantly increasing, both in the circulation of its volumes among the members, and even more largely in the free use of the books at the Library itself, chiefly by non-members.

It is an interesting question as to whether the citizens of Buffalo should remain satisfied with their library advantages since there is no public library in the city for the free withdrawal of books. Cleveland, Detroit, Toronto, Milwaukee, Cincinnati, San

Francisco, Newark, and many other American cities, have such libraries which are supported by large municipal appropriations. In Buffalo the only free public libraries from which books may be drawn are the public school libraries which are used extensively by the pupils, the number of withdrawals from them in 1892–93 being over 95,000, as reported by Superintendent Emerson. The circulation of the Buffalo Library in the past year was 128,222, making, therefore, a total for the city of over 223,000.

The circulation of the public libraries in some of the above named cities has been, viz.:—

CLEVELAND, 1891–92	286,583
DETROIT, 1894	394,976
MILWAUKEE, 1893–94	281,795
NEWARK, 1894	321,533
TORONTO, 1894	502,156
CINCINNATI, 1893–94	520,690

It is evident from these figures that there is scope in Buffalo for a library permitting the free withdrawal of books. It is very questionable whether it would be wise for the Buffalo Library to surrender its management to municipal control, but it may be well that some arrangement might be made by which the institution should have a semi-public character, and furnish the city with the practical benefits of a free public library for withdrawal of books under restrictions as to class of books to be so drawn, and granting additional privileges to paying members. Buffalo should no longer remain behind her sister cities in a matter so important as this, and we offer these suggestions hoping that the subject will receive consideration in the near future.

For a number of years it has been the policy of the Library to issue free tickets to deserving scholars in the public schools. The number of such tickets has been increased from time to time until there are now 1,000 such tickets in use. It is gratifying to know from reports of the teachers in the schools that the tickets are highly appreciated. The records of the Library show that they are largely used. At the High School, we learn that there is a considerable waiting list of pupils anxious to have such tickets, and we believe that from year to year the number of

school tickets should be increased. There is no field in which a library can be so useful as in supplying the eager minds of young men and women with the books which they are hungry to read, and thereby fixing a taste for literature which will remain through life.

THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE,
FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
Chairman.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Curators of the Library and Members of the Library Committee.

GENTLEMEN: It is thirteen years since the Library was last able to make so satisfactory a report of acquisitions as it now presents; and it has never before been able to report so active and extensive a use of its books. The additions of the year number 3,978 volumes, or very nearly 1,000 volumes more than were added in the previous year. Of these, 3,282 volumes were purchased, at a cost of $5,066.24, and 388 were acquired by gift. The gifts of the year were actually more numerous than these figures represent, a considerable number being duplicates which we hold for exchange or sale, while a quantity of public documents, which are still to be catalogued, have not attained their place in the Library statistics.

The purchases of the year have included several valuable and important sets of periodicals and publications of learned societies, such as Petermann's Mittheilungen, the great German record and organ of geographical science; the Proceedings and Transactions of the Society of Biblical Archæology; Bulletins and Proceedings of the American Geographical Society; Rhode Island Historical Tracts, and some others of less moment.

Last year we reported an increase in the circulation of books, as compared with the previous year, to the extent of about 4,000 volumes. This year we have not only continued the gain, but more than doubled it, having risen in circulation from 118,931 to 128,222, or by very nearly 10,000 increase. The recorded use of books in the reading-rooms shows an even greater advance in the usefulness of the Library. It was 31,556 volumes during the year which ended last February, against 28,950 in the prior twelve months; but in the year just closed it

has been 39,582 volumes; and the unrecorded use of reference books which are open to the public has been far greater, both absolutely and in proportion. In fact, the use of the Library for purposes of reference and study is growing far beyond all that could have been expected a few years ago, and it is not improbable that the dimensions of our reading-rooms, which seemed ample when the building was planned, will be found inadequate at some day not distant.

I am pleased to say that every year brings the Library into larger and closer relations with the young people of the city; and this is brought about, to a great extent, by the distribution of readers' tickets among the pupils of the public schools. The number of tickets so distributed has recently been raised to 1,000, and generally speaking there is excellent use made of them. More and more of the teachers in the schools are interesting themselves in the guidance of the reading of their pupils, and the effect is unquestionably stimulating in several ways. So long as Buffalo has no free public library from which books can be drawn for home reading—or none beyond the meagre school libraries which the State has given to it, and on which it expends nothing from its own funds—these school tickets are a most important contribution to the educational system of the city. They go a little way toward redeeming us from the discredit in which we stand, as being very nearly the only city in America which does not support a collection of books for free public use.

Even in other parts of our own State—which is behind its neighbors, east and west, in library matters—a new interest in the subject, and in free libraries especially, is growing rapidly. City and town libraries, established and maintained at public expense, are springing up in all directions. A State Library Association, organized a few years ago, is assuming marked activity, and is likely to be an important body in work and influence. The Association held a meeting at New York last month, and is to hold another in Buffalo, next May. The meeting here will probably be limited, for the most part, to a representation of the library interests of Western New York, and I hope there may be matter in its proceedings to engage the attention of our citizens.

The preparation of a third and concluding part of the printed Finding List or brief catalogue of the Library, to embrace the departments of Science, Arts, Education, Religion and Philosophy, has been in progress for some months, and is nearly finished. The printing of the special catalogue of technical and mechanical books, of which I spoke in my last report, has been deferred in order to make it part of this more comprehensive Finding List. A revision of the Subject-Index to the card catalogue of the Library is also near completion, and the printing of both Index and List will soon be entered on.

The detailed statistics of the Library are appended hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED,
Superintendent.

APPENDIX A.

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1895.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy, . .	91	96	73	87	78	57	80	80	82	90	96	110	1,020	.0079
Religion, . . .	162	169	126	132	139	137	134	155	211	198	174	195	1,932	.0150
Social Science, .	208	230	186	170	118	98	102	102	232	288	230	236	2,200	.0171
Language, . .	23	20	13	19	28	15	25	22	8	20	18	15	226	.0017
Natural Science,	267	272	193	197	173	108	121	158	197	162	193	202	2,243	.0174
Useful Arts, . .	109	154	94	97	83	74	75	104	106	131	133	166	1,326	.0104
Fine Arts, . . .	218	244	176	222	133	151	176	130	215	238	202	213	2,318	.0180
Gen'l Literature,	1,056	1,194	989	909	772	583	615	666	1,049	1,015	895	875	10,618	.0828
Juvenile Fiction,	1,235	1,396	1,056	952	918	940	923	878	1,205	1,256	1,383	1,322	13,464	.1052
Fiction, ...	6,456	7,374	6,068	6,415	6,351	5,682	6,159	5,768	6,801	6,666	6,584	7,321	77,645	.6055
Travel, ...	357	401	309	281	212	190	183	208	332	324	301	344	3,442	.0268
Biography, . .	457	510	371	260	248	203	221	281	418	461	428	474	4,332	.0338
History, . . .	695	756	575	530	420	348	430	554	839	849	773	687	7,456	.0583
Totals, . .	11,334	12,816	10,229	10,271	9,673	8,586	9,244	9,106	11,695	11,698	11,410	12,160	128,222	1.0000
Books used in the Library for reference.	4,048	5,024	4,308	2,907	2,374	1,536	966	2,918	3,845	3,859	3,561	4,206	39,582	

APPENDIX B.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography,	57	828	1,403
General Cyclopædias,	27	346	...
General Periodicals,	34	1,423	20
Polygraphy, etc.,	4	253	14
Philosophy,	53	1,429	211
Religion,	202	5,410	418
Law, Politics, Political Economy, etc.,	122	6,115	1,126
Education,	100	852	657
Commerce,	41	963	687
Statistics,	22	549	46
Other Social Subjects,	73	877	262
Philology,	17	571	30
Natural Science,	161	4,286	321
Useful Arts,	151	3,916	698
Fine Arts,	129	2,490	167
Literary Periodicals,	362	4,301	...
English Poetry, Criticism, etc.,	189	4,832	76
English Prose Fiction,	917	12,436	...
German Poetry, etc.,	15	536	1
German Prose Fiction,	47	853	...
French Poetry, etc.,	17	823	13
French Prose Fiction,	73	1,178	...
Italian Literature,	6	176	2
Spanish Literature,	2	101	...
Greek and Latin Literature,	25	453	2
Other Literatures,	24	470	3
Travel and Description,	149	4,829	202
Travel: Maps (464)	...		...
Biography,	208	5,490	248
History: American,	168	2,975	455
History: Other Countries,	230	5,002	94
Local History and Literature,	53	1,185	2,094
New Books (duplicates in The Nook),	...	59	...
		76,007	9,250
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		1,039	
		77,046	

Added during the year:

By purchase,	3,282
By gift,	388
By binding,	237
By exchange,	5
From other sources,	66
	3,978

Expended for books,	$5,066.24
Expended for binding,	1,665.40

TREASURER'S REPORT.

P. P. BURTIS, *Treasurer, in account with the* BUFFALO LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand,		$ 725.36
Dues,	$3,990.00	
Fines,	718.66	
Rent of Books,	185.34	
Finding Lists,	6.95	
Books sold,	40.09	
		4,941.04

Library Fund Interest Account:

Interest,	Barzancki	Mortgage,	47.10
"	O'Grady	"	24.00
"	Close & Wile	"	162.00
"	Close & Wile	"	126.00
"	Arend	"	20.58
"	Close & Wile	"	123.00
"	Francis	"	120.30
"	McManus	"	108.00
"	Delehanty	"	43.32
"	O'Connor	"	42.00
"	McCabe	"	48.00
"	Allen	"	120.00
"	Wischgrosky	"	78.00
"	Allen	"	120.00
"	Quinlivin	"	30.00
"	Coates	"	60.00
"	Curtiss	"	360.00
"	McNamara	"	50.00
"	Ratajzski	"	69,00
"	Matteson	"	10.50

Interest, Kankiewicz Mortgage,	46.15	
" Close & Wile "	162.00	
" Minehan,	1.12	
" Library Notes,	2,220.00	
" Bank Account,	52.19	
		$ 4,243.26
Real Estate Commissioners		8,250.00
		$18,159.66

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Library Committee:		
Salaries,	$8,000.94	
Expenses,	211.16	
		$8,212.10
Binding,	1,665.40	
Books,	5,066.24	
		6,731.64
Rooms and Fixtures Committee,		1,010.58
Newspapers and Periodicals Committee,		551.80
Printing Committee,		442.65
Law Committee,		75.00
Library Fund—Accrued Interest on Mortgage purchased,		41.00
Election Expenses,		75.50
Balance on hand,		1,019.39
		$18,159.66

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1895.

CASH ACCOUNT OF THE LIBRARY FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand at last report,		$ 129.03
Payments on Investments:		
Edward Matteson Mortgage, paid,	$ 350.00	
S. Kankiewicz " "	1,520.00	
Ellen McNamara " paid part	400.00	
Gift of the Hon. James M. Smith,	5,000.00	
L. W. Arend Mortgage, paid,	500.00	
Jas. O'Connor " "	700.00	
Jane C. Francis " "	1,800.00	
		10,270.00
		$10,399.03

DISBURSEMENTS.

Purchased First Mortgages:		
Close & Wile,	$4,100.00	
J. Wischgrosky,	2,600.00	
Jane C. Francis,	2,100.00	
		$8,800.00
Balance on hand, February 23, 1895,		1,599.03
		$10,399.03

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1895.

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.

February 23, 1894, Balance on hand,	$65.00
February 23, 1895, Balance on hand,	65.00

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1895.

THE LIBRARY FUND CONSISTS OF

Bond and Mortgage:	
S. Barzancki,	$ 785.00
Jas. O'Grady,	400.00
Close & Wile,	2,700.00
Close & Wile,	2,700.00
Close & Wile,	4,100.00
Close & Wile,	2,100.00
Thos. Delehanty,	722.00
Anne McManus,	1,800.00
Jane C. Francis,	2,100.00
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00
Consolvo Postolese,	800.00
J. Wischgrosky,	2,600.00
M. Quinlivin,	500.00
Ellen McNamara,	800.00
Thos. H. Coates,	1,000.00
W. Ratajczki,	1,150.00
Mary L. Curtiss,	6,000.00
Notes of The Buffalo Library,	7,000.00

Notes of The Buffalo Library,	10,000.00	
Notes of The Buffalo Library,	20,000.00	
		$71,257.00
Cash on hand in bank,		1,599.03
		$72,856.30

I have examined the within securities and find them to agree with the statement.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1895.

Real Estate Account.

Receipts.

Balance on hand February 23, 1894		$11,210.41
Received for Rents:		
Buffalo Fine Arts Academy,	$600.00	
Buffalo Historical Society,	500.00	
Buffalo Society of Natural Science,	500.00	
City of Buffalo, for High School Annex,	2,100.00	
361 Main Street,	2,850.00	
363 " "	2,416.63	
367 " "	1,987.50	
369 " "	3,625.00	
Hotel Iroquois,	43,800.00	
Art School & Etc.,	300.50	
Interest, Bank Account,	175.85	
		58,855.48
		$70,065.89

Disbursements.

Library Building Account:		
Coal,	$1,356.50	
Water Tax,	56.00	
Engineer,	1,020.00	
Janitor and Help,	964.83	
Supplies and Repairs,	405.70	
Local Taxes,	92.83	
Electric wiring, Hotel to Library,	500.00	
Painting,	140.00	
Machwirth Bros., repairing roof,	232.81	
Relaying sidewalks and steps,	106.14	
		4,874.81
Hotel Iroquois Account:		
Chas. Berrick & Sons, work on roof,	2,944.00	
Main Street Paving Tax, in full,	564.26	
Machwirth Bros.,	207.88	
H. G. White & Co., Painting,	675.00	

A. C. Esenwein,	224.20	
Sundry Repairs,	296.94	
		4,912.28
Insurance on Library and Hotel, two years,		2,536.24
Interest:		
Buffalo Savings Bank, $600,000 Mortgage,	21,000.00	
Coupons, $250,000, Second Mortgage Bonds,	12,500.00	
Third Mortgage, now $52,500,	3,187.50	
Buffalo Library Notes, $37,000,	2,220.00	
		38,907.50
Buffalo Library,		8,250.00
Balance on hand February 21, 1895,		10,585 06
		$70,065.89

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

R. S. DONALDSON, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 23, 1895.

DONATIONS.

To the Board of Managers of the Buffalo Library:

Your Committee on Donations respectfully presents the folfowing report:

Received by gift during the past year, 372 volumes and 705 pamphlets. A detailed list is in the hands of the Superintendent, and will probably be published in the annual report. Among the important gifts are United States Government publications from the Hon. Charles Daniels, the Hon. D. N. Lockwood, and several Departments and Bureaus, especially the Departments of the Interior and of Agriculture; New York State publications from the Secretary of State, the State Library, the Hon. James A. Roberts and the Hon. D. H. McMillan; Canadian Government publications from J. G. Bourinot, Esq., Clerk of the House of Commons, Ottawa; a complete series of India-proof fac similes of United States postage stamps from the Hon. Wilson S. Bissell, Postmaster-General of the United States; and valuable books and pamphlets from Mr. T. Guildford Smith and Mr. William Thurstone.

Respectfully submitted,

H. T. RAMSDELL,
Chairman.

MEMBERSHIP.

To the Members of the Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Membership respectfully presents the following statistics of Membership:

Annual members reported Feb. 1, 1894		1,588
Annual members added, 1894		588
		2,173
Annual members resigned	276	
Members dropped for absence and non-payment	267	
Members deceased	11	554
Total annual members		1,619
Life members reported Feb. 1, 1894	1,162	
Added by will of Le Grand Marvin	7	
	1,169	
Deceased	7	1,162
		2,781
Honorary members		23
		2,804

Respectfully submitted,

G. L. WILLIAMS,
Chairman.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

To the Members of the Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals respectfully report that, during the past year, there has been expended for newspapers and periodicals the sum of $551.80. The periodicals on file in the reading rooms are 200 in number, classed as follows:

Daily Newspapers,	19
Weekly Newspapers,	54
Fortnightlies,	6
Monthlies,	89
Bi-monthlies,	4
Quarterlies,	20
Occasionals,	8
	200

Of these, one hundred and forty-one are bound for preservation, and the files of the remainder kept during one year for reference.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK F. WILLIAMS,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

To the Buffalo Library:

With much satisfaction the Board of Real Estate is able to report that during the past year, it has not been called on to make expenditures on the property of the Library beyond needed repairs, except in one particular. Circumstances made necessary a reconstruction of the electric light cable between the Library building and the Hotel Iroquois. Through the kindness of the Buffalo Railway Company and the liberality of the Managers of the General Electric Company, this was done at moderate cost.

Other expenditures within the year have been for such repair work, needful to the maintenance of the property, as the painting of the exterior woodwork of the hotel, retinting of the walls of the vestibule and stairway of the Library building, relaying of a portion of the stone steps and sidewalk at the Library, and some minor work of like kind.

Last year the Board was compelled to report unpaid bills outstanding, to the extent of nearly $3,000 for heavy repairs made to the roof of the hotel building. These were all paid early in the present year, and the report you now receive from the Treasurer not only exhibits no current indebtedness, but shows that he has been able to pay over to the Library, for its uses, during the twelve months past, a considerably greater sum than in any other recent year.

The only change made in the leases of Library property since our last report is that consequent on the expiration of the lease of the building known as the Clergy House to St. John's Church. The building is now under direct lease to the City of Buffalo, for school purposes, at the annual rental of $2,100, inclusive of steam heating.

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH H. PLUMB.
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed inspectors for the election of Officers and Directors of the Buffalo Library, held in the Library building, on Tuesday, the 12th day of February, A. D. 1895, do hereby certify that at the said election the following named persons received, severally, the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

Joseph P. Dudley, for President,	373
Peter P. Burtis, for Treasurer,	373
John B. Olmstead, for Curator,	174
Charles R. Wilson, for Curator,	199
Horatio C. Harrower, for Manager,	182
Emory P. Close, for Manager,	120
E. Corning Townsend, for Manager,	181
Charles H. Keep, for Manager,	155
J. N. Adam, for Manager,	231
Ganson Depew, for Manager,	252
Philip S. Smith, for Manager,	179
Henry Y. Grant, for Manager,	169
Edward R. Rice, for Manager (for one year),	151
Harvey W. Putnam, for Manager, (for one year),	222
Ansley Wilcox, for Real Estate Commissioner,	3
Henry C. French, for Real Estate Commissioner,	150

And we further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President,	JOSEPH P. DUDLEY.
Treasurer,	PETER P. BURTIS.
Curator,	CHARLES R. WILSON,
Managers,	GANSON DEPEW, J. N. ADAM, HORATIO C. HARROWER, E. CORNING TOWNSEND.
Manager for one year,	HARVEY W. PUTNAM.
Real Estate Commissioner,	HENRY C. FRENCH.

HOWARD H. BAKER,
HENRY BULL,
ANDREW J. RICH. } *Inspectors.*

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The retiring President, Mr. Henry C. French, then delivered the following address:

Members of the Buffalo Library:

When I spoke in this place last year, at the beginning of my term of office, I expressed a hope that we might be able, in the coming twelve months, to place our Library Committee in command of funds for a more liberal purchase of books and periodicals. It is gratifying to me to be able to listen with you to-night to reports which show that that hope has been realized. Increased rentals from the Library property, and diminished expenditures for repair and improvement, have combined to enable the Board of Real Estate to pay over to the Board of Managers a larger sum than the latter has received heretofore, for some years, as net income from the real property of the Library. The result is a larger purchase of books than has been made before in more than a dozen years, notwithstanding the fact that the heavily increased use of the Library has caused its working expenses to rise considerably in every department.

It is manifest that the more liberal supply of books is publicly appreciated, since the number of volumes drawn has increased on an average of 30 per day throughout the year, or nearly 10,000 altogether during the twelve months.

In view of such proofs of the need and demand that exists, we can see very clearly that it is our duty to keep the net income of the Library at least up to the point which we have attained the past year, and to carry it above that point as soon as possible. For as the Library grows, and as it serves a larger public more perfectly, its expenses must necessarily grow, and a larger revenue will be required. I think we may reasonably anticipate a greater revenue from the Hotel Iroquois property after a few years; but we must not be contented with that anticipation. In my view we are under an obligation to begin relieving the institution of some part of its enormous burden of debt, and to do so, in the main, not by subtracting from its scanty annual income, but by enlisting in some way the help of its

friends. I do not venture to propose any plan on which this is to be done. I only urge it on the attention of the members, friends and officers of the Library, as something to which we must feel ourselves bound to give serious consideration.

Every year lifts the Buffalo Library to a place of higher importance in the life of the city. More of what is best in the character of the community depends on it; more of what coming generations will feel thankful for to the present one is derived from its influence. We cannot afford to let its power for good decline through a meagre maintenance. We owe too much to it—we expect too much from it. It is safe to say that in Buffalo there are 50,000 personal debtors to the Library—debtors to it for their own sake, or for the sake of their children, or for both—and their united hands ought to bear it up, high above all dangers or disabilities.

I have the pleasure of introducing the President-elect, Mr. Joseph P. Dudley.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The President-elect, Mr. Joseph P. Dudley, then took the chair, and, without making any address, announced the Standing Committees for the ensuing year as follows:

Library—Albright, Miner, Wilson, Adam and Porter Norton.

Finance—Gatchell, Williams, Ramsdell, Townsend and Burtis, (*ex-officio*).

Law—Porter Norton, N. W. Norton and Depew.

Membership—Williams, Warren, Adam and Harrower.

Lectures—Adam, Depew and Gatchell.

Donations—Ramsdell, Warren and Harrower.

Newspapers and Periodicals—Albright, Miner, Wilson, Depew and Townsend.

Rooms and Fixtures—N. W. Norton, Derrick and Putnam.

Printing—Warren, Porter Norton, Putnam, (*ex-officio*).

Archives—Derrick, Ramsdell and Gatchell.

Auditor—Harry T. Ramsdell.

On motion of Mr. George S. Gatchell, it was

Resolved, That the thanks of the Library Association be extended to President Henry C. French, and to the retiring members of the Board.

Mr. Henry Bull moved that one thousand copies of the Annual Report be printed for distribution.

Carried.

The meeting, on motion, then adjourned.

CHARLES R. WILSON,
Recording Secretary.

SYNOPSIS OF LIBRARY RULES.

Members may have two books at one time, or more by paying ten cents for each extra volume.

New books in much demand may be kept one week; other books, two weeks.

Charge for retention over time, three cents per day on each book.

Costly books and volumes in series, periodicals, etc., may be drawn under special conditions.

All injuries to books must be paid for.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

1. The privileges of the Buffalo Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library Building are *free* to all.

2. The Buffalo Library is open on Sundays from one o'clock to 6 o'clock P. M., and all are welcome.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

Books and Pamphlets.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Aberdeen Public Library,	...	1
American Association for the Advancement of Science,	1	...
American Humanitarian League,	1	...
American Institute of Homœopathy,	2	...
American Institute of Mining Engineers,	2	...
American Unitarian Association,	...	1
Ames, Hon. John G.,	1	1
Amherst College Library,	...	3
Astor Library, New York,	...	1
Bell, Robert, Erie, Pa.,	1	...
Benedict, Dr. A. L.,	...	1
Bolton, Charles E.,	2	...
Boston Channing Club,	...	1
Boston Children's Aid Society,	...	1
Boston Public Library,	2	2
Boston Record Commissioners,	1	...
Bourinot, J. G., Clerk of the House of Commons, Canada,	18	19
Bowdoin College,	...	3
Brookline (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Brooklyn Civil Service Reform Association,	...	1
Brooklyn Ethical Association,	...	1
Brooklyn Library,	...	1
Brown University, Providence,	...	1
Brymner, Douglas, Archivist of Canada,	1	...
Buffalo Charity Organization Society,	...	1
Buffalo City Clerk,	2	...
Buffalo Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,	1	...
Buffalo College of Pharmacy,	...	1
Buffalo Comptroller,	1	...
Buffalo Department of Public Works,	...	1
Buffalo Electrical Society,	1	...
Buffalo Engineering Co.,	...	3
Buffalo Fresh Air Mission,	...	1
Buffalo Highland Park Literary Society,	1	...
Buffalo Historical Society,	...	1
Buffalo Liberal Club,	3	...

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Buffalo Park Commissioners,	...	1
Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences,	...	1
Buffalo State Hospital,	...	1
Buffalo Superintendent of Education,	1	...
Buffalo Women Teachers' Association,	1	...
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association,	...	1
Butte (Montana) Free Public Library,	1	...
California World's Fair Commissioner,	1	...
Cambridge (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Canadian Military Institute,	...	1
Carnegie Free Library,	...	1
Cary, Thomas,	1	..
Charlton, John, Esq., M. P.,	1	1
Chicago Board of Trade,	1	...
Chicago Manual Training School,	...	1
Chicago Public Library,	...	1
Cincinnati Mercantile Library,	...	2
Cincinnati Public Library,	1	...
Clerkenwell (London) Public Library,	...	1
Cleveland Public Library,	...	2
Coe College, Cedar Rapids, Iowa,	...	2
Columbia College, New York,	...	3
Comstock, M. W.,	...	1
Cornell University Library,	2	3
Cumberland, Barlow, Toronto,	1	...
Cust, R. N., LL.D.,	...	1
Daniels, Hon. Charles,	59	...
Dayton (Ohio) Public Library,	...	1
Depew, Hon. Chauncey M.,	...	1
Denver Public Library,	...	2
Detroit Public Library,	...	1
Dormer, James H.,	...	1
Drexel Institute, Philadelphia,	...	1
Edmands, John,	...	1
Egleston, G. W., Glen Usk Park, Caerleon, Eng.,	1	...
Erie County Penitentiary,	...	1
Fall River (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Fell, George E., M. D.,	...	1
Ferris, F. A. & Co.,	1	...
Field Columbian Museum, Chicago,	...	1
Fletcher, William I.,	...	1
Foster, L. S., New York,	...	1
Fowler, James,	...	1
Friends' Free Library, Germantown,	...	1
Gloversville Free Library,	...	1
Graban, Amadeus W., Boston,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Grand Rapids (Mich.) Board of Trade,	...	1
Grand Rapids (Mich.) Public Library,	...	1
Green, Samuel S., Worcester, Mass.,	...	1
Hamilton (Ont.) Public Library,	...	2
Harlem, (N. Y.) Library,	...	1
Hartford Public Library,	...	1
Harvard University,	2	1
Hazard, George S.,	...	8
Hinkel, Frank W., M. D.,	...	1
Hotchkiss, Wm. H.,	...	1
Humphrey, George P., Rochester,	...	1
Hurd, Arthur W., M. D.,	...	1
Iles, George,	...	1
Ilion (N. Y.) Free Public Library,	...	1
Illinois Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	1
Indian Rights Association, Philadelphia,	...	2
Indiana Bureau of Statistics,	1	...
Jersey City Free Public Library,	...	1
Johns Hopkins Medical School,	...	1
Johns Hopkins University,	...	1
Jones, Rev. Wm. M.,	3	7
Kellicott, D. S.,	...	2
Kimball, Miss Kate F.,	1	...
Kinney, Abbott,	1	...
Lathrop, Miss Mary,	21	...
Lawrence (Mass.,) Public Library,	...	1
Lafayette Public Library,	...	1
Le Couteulx St. Mary's Institution, Buffalo,	...	1
Leeds (Eng.) Free Public Library,	...	1
Leland Stanford Junior University,	...	2
Lenox Library, New York,	...	1
Le Soudier, H.,	...	1
Little, Prof. G. T., Bowdoin College,	...	1
Los Angeles Public Library,	...	1
McMillan, Hon. D. H.,	2	43
Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics of Labor,	2	...
Massachusetts Commissioner of Public Records,	...	3
Massachusetts State Board of Arbitration,	1	...
Michigan University,	...	1
Miller, Dr. John A.,	1	...
Milwaukee Public Library,	...	2
Minneapolis Public Library,	1	1
Missouri Botanical Garden,	1	...
National Divorce Reform League,	...	2
New Bedford Free Public Library,	...	1
New England Conference Educational Workers,	1	...

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
New Haven Free Public Library,	...	1
New Jersey College of Princeton,	1	...
New York Aguilar Free Library,	...	2
New York Mercantile Library,	...	1
New York Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen,	...	1
New York State Civil Service Commissioners,	1	...
New York State Department of State,	1	...
New York State Factory Inspectors,	...	1
New York State Forest Commissioners,	2	...
New York State Grand Lodge of F. & A. Masons,	1	...
New York State Library,	6	2
New York State Reformatory, Elmira,	1	...
New York State Secretary of State,	13	...
New York Young Men's Christian Association,	...	2
Newark (N. J.) Free Public Library,	...	3
Newman, W. H. H.,	...	2
Newton (Mass.) Free Public Library,	...	1
Nolan, Edward J., M. D., Philadelphia,		1
Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.,	...	2
Norton, Charles P.,	...	3
Oneida Historical Society,	...	1
Parke, Mrs. J. B.,	6	...
Peabody Institute, Baltimore,	...	1
Peabody Institute, Peabody, Mass.,	...	1
Pearson, H. G.,	1	...
Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery,	...	1
Peoria Public Library,	...	1
Perkins Institute and Massachusetts School for the Blind,	...	1
Perrine, H. E.,	...	2
Philadelphia Academy of Natural Science,	...	3
Philadelphia Art Club,	...	2
Philadelphia Free Library,	...	1
Philadelphia Library Company,	...	1
Philadelphia Mercantile Library,	...	2
Physio-Medical College of Indiana,	...	1
Portland (Oregon) Library Association,	...	2
Pottle, E. M.,	1	...
Providence Public Library,	...	1
Reynolds Library, Rochester,	...	1
Richardson, A. C.,	5	...
Richardson, Ernest C., Ph. D., Princeton,	...	1
Roberts, Hon. James A.,	7	...
Rochester Athenæum,	...	1
Rochester, Miss,	1	...
St. Joseph Free Public Library,	...	1
St. Louis Mercantile Library,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
St. Louis Public Library,	...	1
St. Paul Public Library,	...	1
Salem Public Library,	...	2
San Francisco Mercantile Library,	...	1
Scranton Public Library,	...	2
Sheenhan, Messrs. John V. & Co., Ann Arbor, Mich.,	1	...
Sheldon, Prof. E. S., Cambridge, Mass.,	...	1
Shepard, C. Sidney, New Haven, N. Y.,	1	...
Shepard, F. J.,	1	12
Silo Art Galleries,	...	1
Smith, T. Guilford,	3	123
Smithsonian Institute,	8	...
Snow, Irving M., M. D.,	...	1
Somerville (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Springfield (Mass.) City Library,	...	1
Stearns, Frank Preston, Boston,	2	...
Stockton, Lewis,	...	1
Sullivan, Hon. Thomas A.,	6	...
Taunton (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Thomson, John, Philadelphia,	...	1
Thornbury, Frank J., M. D.,	...	5
Thwaits, Reuben Gold,	...	1
Thurston, William,	12	78
Thurstone, W. I.,	1	...
Trustee for the Children of Shalam, Dona Ana, N. M.,	1	...
Tokyo (Japan). Library,	...	1
Toronto Public Library,	...	2
Tulane University, New Orleans,	...	1
United States Board of Indian Commissioners,	1	...
United States Bureau of American Republics,	4	4
United States Bureau of Education,	1	1
United States Bureau of Ethnology,	3	2
United States Bureau of Statistics,	3	1
United States Civil Service Commission,	1	...
United States Coast and Geodetic Survey,	2	...
United States Commissioner of Labor,	4	...
United States Department of Agriculture,	...	100
United States Department of Interior,	91	49
United States Department of Navy,	1	...
United States Department of State,	2	...
United States Department of War,	3	...
United States Department of War, Adjutant-General's Office,	1	...
United States Department of War, War Records Office,	3	...
United States Director of the Mint,	1	...
United States Fish Commission,	3	...
United States Inter-State Commerce Commission,	2	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
United States Nautical Almanac Office,	2	...
United States Senate,	...	50
United States Surgeon-General's Office,	1	...
Union Pacific Railroad,	...	1
University of California,	...	1
University of Chicago,	2	1
University of Rochester,	...	1
University of Nebraska,	...	1
University of Vermont,	...	1
Vanderbilt, George W.,	...	1
Van Ness, Andrew J.,	...	1
Waltham (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Waterhouse, Prof. S., St. Louis,	...	1
Willis, A. L., New York,	...	1
Winsor, Justin,	...	1
Wisconsin Bureau of Statistics,	1	...
Wisconsin State Superintendent of Schools,	...	1
Wright, Alfred, Jr.,	1	...
Wright, W. H., Jr.,	1	...
Würtele, Arthur S. C.,	...	4
Wood, Miss Joanna E.,	1	...
Worcester (Mass.) Free Public Library,	...	1
Yale University,	2	2
Young Men's Christian Association of N. A.,	...	1
	372	705

PERIODICALS AND OCCASIONAL PUBLICATIONS.

American Investments.
American Iron and Steel Institute Bulletins.
American McAll Association Record.
American Magazine of Civics.
American Philosophical Society Proceedings.
American Woodworker.
Baptist Union.
Boston Public Library Bulletins.
Brooklyn Library Bulletins.
Buffalo Christian Advocate (file for binding).
Buffalo Commercial (file for binding).
Buffalo Daily Courier (file for binding).
Buffalo Demokrat (file for binding).
Buffalo Evening News (file for binding).
Buffalo Express (file for binding).
Buffalo Freie Press (file for binding).

Buffalo Medical and Surgical Journal.
Buffalo Sunday Truth.
Buffalo Volksfreund.
Bulletin Continental.
Catholic Union and Times (for binding).
Chicago Quarterly Calendar.
Christian Register.
Chronicle, The (Franklinville).
Civil Service Chronicle.
Congressional Record.
Cornell University Agricultural Bulletins.
Cornell University Library Bulletins.
Dental Practitioner and Advertiser.
Denver Public Library Bulletins.
Dixie.
Educator, the (Buffalo).
Erie County Independent.
Essex Institute Bulletin.
Examiner, The.
Fashion.
Good Government.
Hartford Seminary Record.
Harvard Graduates' Magazine.
Harvard University Bibliographical Contributions.
Harvard University Bulletins.
Home Advocate, Dundee, Yates Co.
Horse Gazette (Buffalo).
Hotel Mail.
Household Realm (Cleveland, Ohio).
Iron Industry Gazette (McFaul & Nolan).
Johns Hopkins University Circulars.
Keokuk Post.
Kindergarten News.
Kuryer Polski.
Le Couteulx Leader.
Literary News.
Lumber Trade Gazette.
Lumber World (McFaul & Nolan).
Marine Journal.
Marine Record.
Marine Review.
Medical Current.
Milling World.
Minneapolis Public Library Bulletins.
National Odd Fellow.
New York Mercantile Library Bulletins.
New York Regents of the University Bulletins and other Publications.

New York State Library Bulletins.
Ogontz Mosaic.
Omaha Bee.
Our Church Work.
Our Record (Home for the Friendless, Buffalo).
People's Advocate.
Philadelphia Library Co. Bulletins.
Philadelphia Mercantile Library Bulletins.
Phonetic Journal.
Providence Public Library Bulletins.
Revue de Morale Progressive.
Salem Public Library Bulletins.
Seaboard.
Smithsonian Institute (contributions in part).
Standard, The.
Travelers' Record.
Triumphs of Faith.
United States Bureau of Statistics, 2 Quarterly Reports.
United States Census Bulletins.
United States Consular Reports.
United States Department of Agriculture Bulletins for the Year.
United States, Education, Bureau of, Circulars of Information.
United States, Geographic Names, Board on, Bulletins.
United States Patent Office Gazette.
United States Weather Review.
University Extension.
Warren County Library, Monmouth, Ill., Bulletins.
Westfield Republican.
Young Men's Christian Association Bulletins.

Other Gifts.

Bissell, Hon. Wilson S., Postmaster-General, ... A Full Set of India-proof fac similes of United States Postoffice Stamps.
California World's Fair Commissioner, ... 1 Map.
Daniels, Hon. Charles, ... 6 Maps.
Kaufman, Franklin J., M. D., ... A Document.
Matthews, Northrup & Co., ... 2 Maps.
Smith, T. Guilford, ... 1 Map.
United States Department of War, ... Atlas of War Maps in Parts.
United States Secretary of the Interior, ... 1 Atlas.

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

Some of the friends of the Buffalo Library, who have in mind the generous thought of enlarging its very limited endowment by gift or bequest, may wish to do so in a specific way, for the benefit of such departments of literature as interest them most. Where this is the desire, there seems to be no objection to the founding of Special Funds—named for the givers, or as they may direct—the income of which shall be appropriated wholly to the purchase of books, etc., in designated classes and lines. The following are mentioned as departments in the Library which might advantageously receive especial endowment in the suggested mode:

The Fine Arts, graphic and plastic, including Architecture.
Music.
Mechanic Arts and Manufactures—Engineering.
Chemistry—Chemical Technology, including Metallurgy and the working of Metals.
Medicine, Surgery, and the Biological and Hygienic Sciences connected with them.
Natural History, including Geology and Mineralogy.
Mathematics and Astronomy.
Politics and Political and Social Economy.
Philosophy.
Theology.
Greek and Roman Classical Literature.
Books in the German Language.
Books in the French Language.
American History, especially Family and Town and County History.

FORM OF A SPECIAL BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation, located at the City of Buffalo, New York, the sum of..... Dollars, which sum I desire that the said Library shall preserve by proper investment as a perpetual fund, to be known as The Fund, the yearly income thereof, and no more, to be expended annually in the purchase of books, periodicals, prints, maps, or other works relating to subjects connected with.....

FORM OF A GENERAL BEQUEST.

I do hereby give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, the sum of..... Dollars.

FORM OF DEVISE.

I do hereby give, devise and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, and to its successors and assigns forever.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated, etc.

Year.	Paid for Books and Binding.	Paid for papers, periodicals, etc.	Volumes added.	Periodicals and papers taken.	Members elected and paid.	Honorary Members.	Life Members elected	No. of Paying Members.	Rate of Initiation.	Rate of Dues.	Debt of the Association.	Volumes drawn from Library.	Initiation and Dues.	Cash donations including life membership.	Net Receipts from lectures.	Amount left in Treasury.	Amount of Library Fund.	PRESIDENTS.
1836	$2,102.87	$730.00	2,700	102	400		44	400	$2.00	$2.00	$300.00	5,500	$1,234.00	$3,787.00	Free.	$189.15		Seth C. Hawley.
1837	653.13	341.00	86	45	82	8	16	304	2.00	5.00	2,484.00	7,500	1,010.74	1,425.00	Free.	198.19		Seth C. Hawley.
1838	140.51	378.00	no acc	45	53			303	2.00	5.00	2,075.00	6,300	1,121.00	484.00	Free.	78.16		George E. Hayes.
1839		250.00	none.	27	35			195	2.00	5.00	1,976.00	6,600	1,047.00	297.75	$ 4.50	69.47		Edward Norton.
1840	36.00	323.00	128	28	28		22	124	2.00	5.00	803.00	6,400	675.75	1,253.00	10.00	3.84		Walter Joy.
1841	148.40	284.90	81	33	281	1	7	407	2.00	5.00	408.62	10,400	1,352.00	418.00	35.69	63.64		Warren Bryant.
1842	103.56	289.00	122	36	90			401	1.00	3.00	370.04	11,100	1,292.00	35.50	2.00	273.23		W. L. G. Smith.
1843	84.30	158.00	248	42	57			271	1.00	3.00	481.53	9,000	868.75	53.00	7.00	164.74		W. H. Greene.
1844	73.48	204.33	20	no acc	40		1	278	1.00	3.00	545.78	8,000	878.87	52.00	No Lec.	16.75		Jabez B. Bull.
1845	427.60	140.00	385	21	64			458	1.00	3.00		8,200	1,444.44	248.28	162.90	367.93		Gibson T. Williams.
1846	159.82	208.95	155	no acc	63		1	400	1.00	3.00		9,250	1,263.25	51.25	144.47	571.39		Samuel T. Atwater.
1847	574.99	209.54	420	43	133		3	475	1.00	3.00		10,600	1,556.56	378.75	31.20	603.38		Thomas C. Welch.
1848	231.97	233.96	170	41	134	1		398	1.00	3.00		14,200	1,327.62	227.46	20.77	466.12		James Sheldon.
1849	320.04	190.07	199	31	132	1		445	1.00	3.00		12,000	1,467.12	260.42		546.75		Isaac Sherman.
1850	245.00	196.82	228	30	72	3		397	1.00	3.00		9,477	1,262.18	60.00	18.41	349.36		Chas. D. Norton.
1851	382.43	198.76	75	34	276	1	4	797	1.00	3.00		11,600	2,664.60	1,494.00	392.29	1,900.44		J. M. Hutchinson.
1852	796.67	196.87	918	48	266	2	1	814	1.00	3.00		14,440	2,708.36	85.00	152.34	2,038.98		James L. Butler.
1853	1,345.14	202.49	576	52	254	1	1	838	1.00	3.00		19,229	2,769.25	160.50	691.93	2,954.77		Bronson C. Rumsey.
1854	1,618.00	245.51	857	55	184	9	1	853	1.00	3.00		22,995	2,743.63	50.00	380.37	2,214.11		Wells D. Walbridge.
1855	730.88	233.21	679	55	344	9	3	1,070	1.00	3.00		22,793	3,524.74	150.00	271.69	3,040.53	$1,150.00	Alex. W. Harvey.
1856	2,068.41	238.45	1,289	55	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,830	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	1,200.00	John G. Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	105	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer.
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,647.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	2,500.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682.76	2,800.00	Wm. Fleming.
1860	487.69	186.44	543	50	183		6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736.93	2,850.00	David F. Day.
1861	241.80	279.53	277	55	116	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	3,200.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,212.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,300.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23.281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,628.57	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633.81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.35	5,206.43	8,288.65	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1,091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285.44	5,650.00	8,500.00	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,800.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,755	1.00	3.00	39,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	10,100.00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9,212.05	11,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,897.94	656.08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	13,300.00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.64	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,950.00	Geo. S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.72	700.00	1,144.39	3,702.62	19,750.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768.48	894	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176.40	4,493.34	20,050.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717.23	20,350.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,557.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4,009.75	300.00		2,107.42	20,735.04	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959.25	200.00		3,541.23	20,935.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737.02	21,035.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,355.60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,250.00	72,832	4,107.25	100.00		1,738.02	21,085.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660.24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,385.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,435.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,122.04	21,835.04	Wilson H. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		1,098.76	22,085.04	Charles A. Sweet.
1882	4,519.81	643.00	2,794	111	422	6	6	1,776		3.00	10,500.00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550.00		231.94	22,033.74	Henry Bull.
1883	4,260.71	690.12	3,085	108	337	2	371	1,814		3.00		99,108	4,071.60			1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	116	334		406			3.00		96,113	3,873.00			1,202.86	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,657.34	646.71	3,672	133	327		95	1,369		3.00		84,918	3,144.00			1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,327.97	625.68	3,522	154	337	2		1,509		3.00	225,000.00	59,943	2,917.09			599.38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	3,724.35	800.51	3,191	173	600	2		1,614		3.00		89,935	3,667.75	124,879.25			22,183.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1888	3,365.21	637.17	2,807	191	901		8	2,178		3.00		100,136	4,406.49				22,183.74	George Gorham.
1889	3,115.56	673.68	2,630	182	437	1	6	1,881		3.00	955,000.00	102,600	3,293.25	9,700.00		15,772.00	31,883.74	Daniel H. McMillan.

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Fowler, T. V.
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McMillan, Miss Emma
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Stephenson, Mrs. P.
Sternberg, Mrs. Laura D.
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Stevenson, Mabel
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Stone, Miss Georgia C.
Stone, Miss H. B.
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Strong, Mrs. Kate E.
Sullivan, Mrs. F. T.
Summey, Mrs. George B.
Susser, Mrs. L. A.
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Swan, Mrs. Nellie
Sweetland, Mrs. H. A.
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Tabor, Mrs. Charles F.
Tallman, Mary E.
Tanner, Mrs. Morris F.
Taylor, Miss Alice R.
Taylor, Mrs. G. H.
Taylor, Miss Grace
Taylor, Anna C.
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Thompson, Mrs. J. C.
Thompson, Mrs. Mary N.
Thompson, Miss Minnie E.
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Townsend, Miss E. J.
Tracy, Elvira
Trant, Dr. Amelia E.
Treat, Miss Kate S.
Trible, Miss Grace
Trout, Mrs. H. G.
Tuttle, Mrs. Kittie M.
Ubelhoer, Miss Elsie
Ullman, Mrs. Bell
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Van Vleck, Miss Mattie
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Viner, Miss Anna E.
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Wade, Miss Blanche E.
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Wallace, Jennie L.
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Warner, Mrs. Joseph
Warner, Miss Mildred R.
Waters, Miss Elva E.
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Weeks, Mrs. Edson J.
Weill, Ermanee
Weill, Mrs. H.
Weill, Mrs. L. E.
Weiss, Mrs. George
Welch, Miss Jane Meade
Wells, Mrs. W. G.
Werner, Helena M.
Wertimer, Mrs. Henry
Wesley, Mrs. J. E.
Wetherill, Jennie M.
Wheeler, Miss Christine M.
Wheeler, Miss Mary C.
Whelpton, Miss Alice M.
White, Mrs. M. B.
White, Miss Elizabeth L.
White, Mrs. E. B.
Whiting, Mrs. Mary
Whitman, Miss Ada
Whitney, Miss Grace
Whitten, Miss Anna E.
Wilcox, Effie B.
Wilgus, Mrs. F. A.
Wilkins, Mrs. Lena I.
Willett, Mrs. C. H.
Williams, Mrs. F. C.
Williams, Mrs. G. Stedman
Williams, Mrs. Gertrude M.
Williams, Miss Mabel W.
Williamson, Lettie
Wilson, Gertrude
Wing, Miss Bernice L.
Winslow, Miss K.
Wolcott, Mrs. Cora B.
Wood, Katie D.
Woodard, Mrs. George H.
Woodbury, Mrs. Louise A.
Woodruff, Mrs. J. V.
Woods, Mrs. Flora
Woods, Miss Myrtie
Woodworth, Mrs. W. W.
Woolley, Mrs. Edgar
Wright, Miss Mary
Wright, Mrs. Mary A.
Wurtz, Miss Elizabeth
Zielinska, Marie de

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Abbott, F. W. 1875
Adam, R. B. 1884
Adam, R. B., Jr. 1884
Adams, Miss H. A. 1884
Adams, James 1881
Adams, John C. 1884
Adams, S. C. 1872
Ahrhart, Charles F. A. 1894
Albright, Mrs. J. J. 1884
Albright, J. J., Jr. 1884
Albright, L. 1884
Albright, R. K. 1884
Alderman, Eleanor Jane 1894
Allen, Daniel W. 1884
Allen, Mrs. Evelyn S. 1885
Allen, Henry F. 1885
Allen, John F. 1885
Allen, John McPherson 1894
Allen, Laurence O. 1884
Allen, W. S. 1884
Almy, W. H. 1887
Altman, Henry 1884
Altman, Isaac 1884
Altman, Julius 1887
Alward, Mrs. Emily B. 1884
Ames, Mrs. Samuel 1885
Anderson, Charles F. 1884
Anderson, Wm. A. 1891
Armstrong, Charles B. 1886
Armstrong, Charles N. 1886
Ash, James 1884
Atkins, A. R. 1890
Atwater, E. M. 1881
Atwater, Samuel T. 1885
Atwater, William T. 1884
Austin, Charles W. 1885
Avery, Mrs. Delia S. 1884
Avery, Miss L. A. 1884
Avery, T. C. 1884
Avery, Truman G. 1875
Bacon, E. R. 1873
Bailey, Charles H. 1886
Bailey, George J. 1884
Baird, Mary T. 1891
Baker, George Hayward 1874
Baker, Howard A. 1884
Baker, Howard H. 1872
Baker, Lyman M. 1886
Baldy, Mrs. C. W. 1873
Ball, Kneeland 1885
Barnard, Joseph E. 1884
Barnard, Seymour 1885
Barnum, T. D. 1884
Barr, G. D. 1884
Barr, W. H. 1886
Barr, W. H. D. 1884
Bartlett, Fred. M. B. 1886
Bartlett, G. F. H. 1884
Bartlett, Mrs. G. F. H. 1884
Barton, Oliver F. 1857
Barton, Thomas D. 1857
Bass, Mrs. Frances M. 1886
Beals, E. P. 1881
Beals, P. P. 1885
Beard, Daniel C. 1881
Beard, Philo D. 1877
Becker, Alfred Le Roy 1885
Becker, Emily A., Jr. 1888
Becker, Philip 1871
Beecher, James C. 1884
Beecher, T. S. 1870
Bedford, John M. 1885
Beier, J. Jr. 1887
Beier, Mrs. J. 1887
Bell, David 1870
Bell, Edwin A. 1885
Bell, F. A. 1884
Bell, George F. 1885
Bell, George H. 1884
Benedict, W. J. 1883
Bennett, Edward 1881
Bennett, Leslie J. 1884
Bennett, Lewis J. 1884
Benson, Morris 1887
Bentley, George T. 1881
Bergtold, W. Harvey 1885

Berrick, Alfred A. 1884
Berrick, Charles 1884
Berrick, John F. 1884
Bidwell, Miss L. K. 1885
Birge, Henry M. 1886
Birge, M. H. 1886
Bishop, Charles F. 1884
Bissell, A. D. 1891
Bissell, Herbert P 1884
Bissell, Howard 1884
Bissell, Mary Eleanor 1884
Bissell, Raymond 1884
Bissell, Thomas H. 1884
Bissell, Wilson S. 1879
Blacking, Charles 1884
Blake, Miss E. L. 1885
Blake, G. G. 1893
Blakeslee, Harvey D. 1884
Bleistein, George 1885
Bliss, Mrs. Seth P. 1884
Bloomer, C. A. 1884
Boardman, John 1884
Bolt, F. C. 1884
Bonner, Margaret 1884
Bork, Joseph 1873
Bowen, Harry W. 1885
Box, Henry W. 1874
Box, Mrs. Henry W. 1884
Box, Mary E. 1884
Brayley, Miss Grace H. 1885
Brayton, Irwin R. 1886
Briggs, A. H. 1886
Briggs, George D. 1884
Briggs, Horace 1884
Brock, L. M. 1885
Brown, Daniel 1865
Brown, Henry M. 1880
Brown, James Ed. 1884
Brown, R. N. 1881
Brunck, Miss Kate I. 1885
Bryant, George H. 1881
Bryant, Mrs. Howard 1884
Bryant, Jennie D. 1886
Bryant, J. S. 1874
Bryant, John C. 1884
Bryant, Joseph S. 1884
Bryant, Mary S. 1884
Bryant, Warren W. 1867
Bryant, William C. 1884
Bryant, William L. 1884
Buck, E. A. 1872
Buck, George S. 1884
Buck, Harriet M. 1884
Bull, Carl 1870
Bull, Henry 1884
Bull, Henry A. 1884
Bull, Robert W. 1884
Bull, Sarah W. 1885
Bull, William S. 1884
Bullard, P. W. 1886
Burke, Agnes E. 1884
Burke, William 1886
Burt, Henry W. 1865
Burtis, Miss Kate T. 1884
Burtis, Morse T. 1887
Burtis, Peter P. 1878
Bush, George H. 1886
Bush, John W. 1860
Bushnell, Clarence M. 1884
Butler, E. H. 1884
Butnam, C. A. 1884
Butterfield, Thomas 1884
Byrne, John, Jr. 1885
Caldwell, S. D. 1869
Carpenter, Thomas P. 1884
Cary, Charles 1884
Cary, Miss Julia 1884
Cary, Mrs. Julia 1884
Cary, Miss Sarah 1884
Cary, Thomas 1880
Cary, Walter 1874
Case, W. G. 1885
Chamot, Emile M. 1884
Chandler, Henry 1869
Chapin, E. H. 1872
Chapin, Willis O. 1884
Chase, J. L. 1884
Chester, Mrs. A. T. 1884
Chester, Carl T. 1885
Chester, Miss Ellen K. 1884
Chester, Katherine 1884
Chester, Walter T. 1872
Chittenden, John L. 1848
Churchyard, John 1874
Churchyard, Joseph 1874
Churchyard, William K. 1874

Clapp, Henry H. 1881
Clark, A. Ralph 1884
Clark, Charles A. 1857
Clark, Charles S. 1884
Clark, Mrs. Delia S. 1884
Clark, Edward D. 1884
Clark, H. P. 1884
Clark, Irwin B. 1885
Clark, Miss Jesssie E. 1884
Clark, Stephen C. 1865
Clark, Stephen D. 1884
Clark, Townsend D. 1884
Clement, S. M., Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. S. M., Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. Sarah E. 1885
Cleveland, Grover 1870
Clifton, Mrs. Charles 1885
Clinton, DeWitt 1878
Clinton, George 1885
Close, Emory P. 1884
Coakley, J. B. 1884
Cobb, Oscar 1881
Coit, Miss Charlotte 1887
Coit, Miss Emily 1887
Coit, Frank S. 1870
Coit, George 1885
Coit, Miss Julia 1887
Collingwood, W. D. 1887
Comstock, Marc W. 1884
Cook, Edward L. 1884
Cook, Joseph T. 1887
Cook, Rev. P. G. 1870
Cornell, S. Douglass 1861
Cornwell, William C. 1884
Cothran, G. W. 1872
Cottier, Alonzo E. 1884
Cotter, W. H. 1884
Cowing, John H. 1875
Cowing, Stanley B. 1884
Cowles, Seth G. 1886
Cowles, Seth H. 1886
Coxe, Arthur Cleveland 1867
Crosby, Thomas G. 1885
Cunningham, P. R. 1891
Curtis, A. M. 1886
Curtis, Harlow C. 1884
Cushman, Charles W. 1888
Cutler, Burwell L. 1886
Cutler, Clifford A. 1886
Cutler, Fred. H. 1886
Cutler, William B. 1868
Cutter, Mrs. G. W. 1886
Daboll, L. B. 1885
Danforth, F. L. 1872
Danforth, Frank L. 1884
Danforth, Fred. W. 1884
Danforth, Richard E. 1884
Danforth, William E. 1884
Daniels, Charles 1882
Daniels, C. H. 1884
Dann, E. W. 1848
Dann, Walter J. 1884
Dart, Joseph, Jr. 1887
Davy, Marsden 1886
Davis, Miss Emily K. 1884
Davis, Harry P. 1884
Davis, Jacob 1885
Davis, J. Talman 1886
Davis, Townsend 1884
Davis, Mrs. Townsend 1884
Davis, William H. 1884
Dawes, Julius H. 1884
Day, David F. 1871
Dean, Wells P. 1871
Depew, Chauncey M. 1884
Depew, Ganson S. 1884
Derrick, George W. 1884
Diehl, Jacob W. 1884
Diehl, John P. 1884
Dole, Thomas D. 1881
Dopp, William H. 1871
Dorr, Edward 1865
Dorr, Frank Ingersoll 1867
Dorr, John Nicholas 1867
Douglass, W. H. 1872
Doyle, Peter C. 1872
Doyle, William L. 1872
Dubois, Frank 1884
Dudley, James G. 1881
Dudley, Joseph P. 1871
Dunbar, C. F. 1884
Dunbar, George H. 1874
Dunstan, George H. 1872
Duschak, Mrs. Agnes H. 1872
Eames, Daniel D. 1884
Eames, Edward A. 1885

Eames, E. W. 1867
Eames, M. R. 1867
Eames, Milo D. 1884
Eckley, J. S. 1864
Eckley, Mrs. Elizabeth P. 1871
Edmonds, E. R. 1884
Edwards, Edward 1884
Ehrlic, Julius J. 1873
Eisenwein, A. C. 1892
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Ernest, H. 1886
Evans, Miss Alethe. 1887
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Evans, Ellicott 1886
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Evans, James C., 2d 1873
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Evans, Louis M. 1872
Evans, Miss Sarah Grant 1887
Evans, Miss Virginia 1884
Fairchild, Joseph L. 1875
Farrar, C. M. 1888
Farthing, John 1881
Fassett, Clara S. 1884
Fassett, Theodore S. 1884
Fenton, James 1884
Ferguson, F. C. 1887
Ferris, Peter J. 1886
Fischer, G. R. 1889
Fischer, G. P. 1889
Fisher, James W. 1872
Fiske, Frank W. 1865
Fiske, George 1885
Fiske, Willis P. 1887
Fleming, Bryant 1884
Fleming, Lucy S. 1884
Fleming, William 1881
Flint, Abbie G. 1884
Flint, Mrs. Johanna J. 1884
Flint, Oscar T. 1865
Flynn, Wm. Jared 1884
Folsom, Benjamin 1884
Folwell, B. 1884
Folwell, Florence D. 1884
Ford, Mrs. Helen J. 1885
Ford, James A. 1884
Ford, James E. 1881
Forman, Geo. V. 1893
Forsyth, James G. 1885
Fox, L. J. 1884
French, Albin S. 1884
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French, Henry C., Jr. 1884
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Ganson, Emily J. 1884
Ganson, Henry 1872
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Gatchell, Geo. S. 1884
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Gibbs, George W. 1887
Gibson, Charles S. 1884
Gies, Charles 1885
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Glenny, Wm. H. 1886
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Guenther, N. J. R. 1866
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Haggerty, Frank T. 1891
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Hauenstein, John 1884
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Hawley, Elias S. 1865
Hawley, Lucien 1853
Hawley, Wm. A. 1887
Hayes, Edmund 1884
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Hayes, J. Arthur 1884
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Hazard, A. M. 1884
Hazard, George S. 1863
Heath, Miss Jessie 1886
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Hengerer, Wm. 1884
Hengerer, Wm. A. 1884
Henry, Wm. P. 1891
Hess, F. B. 1882
Hibbard, Geo. B. 1881
Hickey, W. D. 1884
Hickox, Porter B. 1884
Hickman, Arthur W. 1884
Hill, Miss Essie L. 1882
Hill, Thomas, Jr. 1888
Hingston, Edward J. 1884
Hinckley, Willard E. 1891
Hirschfield, Miss Emma M. . . . 1878
Hodge, D. W. 1887
Hodges, Miss L. M. 1884
Hodges, Lewis L. 1837
Hodgson, Thomas. 1885
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Finance, ... WILLIAMS, RAMSDELL, TOWNSEND, REED (*ex-officio*).
Law, ... NORTON, DEPEW, HUNSICKER.
Membership. WILLIAMS, WARREN, ADAM, HARROWER.
Lectures, ... ADAM, DEPEW, PUTNAM.
Donations, ... RAMSDELL, WARREN, HARROWER.
Newspapers and Periodicals, MINER, WILSON, HOWLAND, WILLIAMS.
Rooms and Fixtures, ... NORTON, DERRICK, PUTNAM.
Printing, ... WARREN, HUNSICKER, TRUSCOTT (*ex-officio*).
Archives, ... DERRICK, RAMSDELL, PUTNAM.
Auditor, ... HARRY T. RAMSDELL.

BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

HERBERT P. BISSELL, HENRY C. FRENCH, ARTHUR D. BISSELL,
T. GUILFORD SMITH (*ex-officio*), WILLIAM P. REED (*ex-officio*).

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE LIBRARY.

J. N. LARNED.

LIBRARIAN.

WILLIAM IVES.

SIXTIETH ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

SIXTIETH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM, MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 24, 1896.

In the absence of the President, Mr. Joseph P. Dudley, the First Vice-President, Mr. George L. Williams, occupied the chair, and called the meeting to order at 8.15 o'clock.

On motion, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The annual reports from the various Officers and Committees of the Library were then presented, as follows :

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

To the Members of the Buffalo Library:

The facts which show the condition and working of the Library during the past year are set forth with detail in the report of the Superintendent, submitted herewith, and it seems to be unnecessary to repeat any part of them. They exhibit a gratifying continuation and increase of the more prosperous circumstances reported last year. The Treasurer has been able to meet larger calls upon him for the purchase of books and for other library expenses, and the use of the library by the public has been considerably increased. Compared with most reports made during recent years, the showing is satisfactory in a high degree. And yet, if we turn from comparisons with our own record to comparisons with the work of other public libraries, we find that we still fall far short of the needs of a great city such as this. By what means to put the Buffalo Library on broader foundations, with ampler support, is a question that will press with increasing urgency on its members and friends.

The annual report of the Superintendent is commended to your attention.

THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE,
J. J. ALBRIGHT,
Chairman.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Curators of the Library and Members of the Library Committee:

In this sixtieth year of the Buffalo Library, there is satisfaction in reporting a more liberal expenditure for books, from regular sources of income, than it has ever before been able to indulge. A quarter of a century ago, in the year which ended February, 1871, there was a greater acquisition of books, but it came from a special issue of bonds, most of which bonds were afterwards returned to the treasury in payment for life memberships. Our purchases for the last twelve months, aggregating $5,269.61, are the largest, as I have stated, made from regular sources of income, in the history of the Library. There is en-

couragement in this fact, after the pinching years we have passed through; and yet the sum we have expended is in reality a slender one for supplying the book-wants of a public library in a city of 300,000 people.

We have added to the Library, during the year, 4,378 volumes, of which 3,393 volumes have been bought and 697 have come to it by gift.

At the same time, the public use of the Library has advanced at an increasing rate, with the consequence of increasing expenses, for service, book-binding, book-repairs, etc. That we have been able to apply as large a proportion as one-third of our available income to the purchase of books and periodicals, is a fact which will appear highly creditable to the Library, I think, if comparison is made with other institutions of like kind.

My report of a year ago showed an increase of nearly 10,000 in the circulation of books over the previous twelve months. The statistics now submitted show a further advance of 12,000 beyond the circulation then reported; while the recorded use of books in The Study has risen from 39,582 to 44,585. If account could be kept of the use made of reference books from the open shelves of The Study, and of other books by students who are admitted to the book-room, the whole consultation of books in the Library would probably be found equal in volumes to the circulation of books drawn from it.

A classified exhibit of the circulation of the past year is made in one of the tables appended. It will be seen that the distribution of books drawn in the several classes remains proportionately about the same as in other recent years. Measured by number of volumes, the fiction read (including juvenile fiction) stands at about 71 per cent. of the whole. But that is no fair measure. Even as a matter of reading-quantity, the novels in a library are far from being equal, on the average, volume for volume, to other books. Moreover, those who read many novels do it by so skimming and hasty a process that some comparatively small number of people may easily do the larger part of all the novel-reading represented in the circulation of this Library. To obtain some light on this point, as a matter of curious interest, if no more, I have had the accounts of the Library

with its members, for the last six months of 1895, subjected to a certain analysis, with the following results: Of active accounts with members there were 2,249. This excludes accounts with school pupils, holding free tickets. Probably few of the accounts represent the reading of single persons; generally speaking they are open to the common use of families. Of the 2,249 active accounts, 449, or about one-fifth, show not one book drawn, from the first of last July until the end of December, that was not a work of fiction. On the other hand, 220 accounts show no fiction drawn; while 1,580 show mixed reading — variously mixed — but with fiction predominating on the whole.

The 449 persons or families who draw nothing but fiction, took, in all, 9,824 volumes within the six months. The 220 who drew no fiction took 1,738 volumes. In the first instance, the reading done was not quite 22 volumes each, or a little less than one volume per week for each reader; in the other instance, it was about eight volumes to each reader for the six months, thus allowing a trifle more than three weeks to the reading of each volume.

I am disposed to think that these figures are suggestive of a time-measure by which the reading of books from public libraries may be valued more justly than by the count of novels as against other volumes. That is to say, if we divide our novel circulation by three, we shall bring it scarcely below its true representation of real reading done, in mere time, and of the actual number of the readers, as compared with more solid books.

The 1,000 free tickets distributed in the public schools have been, generally speaking, put to good use. From the opening of the schools in September until the end of the year, 7,769 volumes were drawn on these tickets, of which 3,854 were of fiction and 3,915 other literature. On 99 accounts, no fiction appears; on 88, nothing but fiction is found. The tickets represented by these latter will be transferred to other pupils if better use is not made of them.

Since my last report, a revised index to the card subject-catalogue of the library has been printed and is found most useful. I hoped to have accomplished before this time the printing of the third and last part of the Finding-List of the Library, as promised

a year ago. But the final labor of making ready for the printer has consumed time beyond expectation, while the regular work of the Library has pressed with increasing weight on all connected with it. But we are now at the point of readiness to make printing arrangements for this much-needed Finding-List.

The usual statistics of the year are submitted herewith.

J. N. LARNED,
Superintendent.

APPENDIX A.

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1896.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy, . .	123	142	128	97	62	101	70	94	149	164	128	159	1,417	.0100
Religion, . . .	183	211	191	138	101	145	112	142	205	220	171	191	2,010	.0142
Social Science .	223	281	216	147	119	87	103	141	294	360	229	298	2,498	.0177
Language, . .	25	16	13	12	10	21	13	16	13	20	27	29	215	.0015
Natural Science,	209	303	201	195	160	149	141	150	202	235	196	214	2,355	.0167
Useful Arts, . .	145	154	191	99	91	98	74	121	154	153	146	190	1,556	.0110
Fine Arts, . . .	224	260	200	183	124	141	149	146	151	284	271	306	2,539	.0184
Gen'l Literature,	894	1,220	1,094	826	663	710	667	766	1,248	1,260	990	1,289	11,627	.0816
Juvenile Fiction,	1,130	1,530	1,302	996	853	1,140	1,156	1,181	1,663	1,799	1,525	1,663	15,938	.1106
Fiction, ...	7,184	8,344	7,328	6,718	5,815	6,588	6,903	6,238	7,298	7,912	6,737	7,906	84,971	.6031
Travel, ...	289	367	294	271	207	234	242	257	357	432	370	398	3,717	.0263
Biography, . .	494	493	367	283	191	205	162	194	415	406	403	483	4,086	.0284
History, . . .	685	813	594	587	469	380	329	533	919	909	667	837	7,722	.0605
Totals, . .	11,807	14,124	12,089	10,552	8,865	9,999	10,121	9,979	13,168	14,154	11,860	13,963	140,651	1.0000
Books used in the Library for reference.	3,834	5,649	4,250	3,328	2,196	1,285	1,353	4,029	5,176	4,850	3,908	4,727	44,585	

APPENDIX B.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography,	58	886	1,438
General Cyclopædias,	19	365	...
General Periodicals,	85	1,508	25
Polygraphy, etc.,	7	260	16
Philosophy,	108	1,537	212
Religion,	235	5,645	443
Law, Politics, Political Economy, etc.,	571	6,686	1,190
Education,	81	933	693
Commerce,	72	1,035	700
Statistics,	30	579	47
Other Social Subjects,	31	861	279
Philology,	30	601	32
Natural Science,	238	4,524	347
Useful Arts,	168	4,084	827
Fine Arts,	124	2,614	182
Literary Periodicals,	354	4,655	...
English Poetry, Criticism, etc.,	224	5,056	80
English Prose Fiction,	697	13,133	...
German Poetry, etc.,	18	554	1
German Prose Fiction,	17	870	...
French Poetry, etc.,	19	842	13
French Prose Fiction,	40	1,218	...
Italian Literature,	6	182	2
Spanish Literature,	5	106	...
Greek and Latin Literature,	10	463	2
Other Literatures,	28	498	3
Travel and Description,	162	4,991	224
Travel: Maps (469),	...	...	...
Biography,	221	5,711	269
History: American,	127	3,102	487
History: Other Countries,	255	5,257	113
Local History and Literature,	79	1,264	2,175
New Books (duplicates in The Nook),	...	64	...
		80,084	9,800
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		874	
		80,958	

Added during the year:

By purchase,	3,393
By gift,	697
By binding,	248
By exchange,	3
From other sources,	37
	4,378

Expended for books,	$5,269.61
Expended for binding,	1,779.36

TREASURER'S REPORT.

P. P. BURTIS, *Treasurer, in account with the* BUFFALO LIBRARY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Feb. 23, 1895,		$1,019.39
Dues,	$4,405.75	
Fines,	744.36	
Book Rent,	181.92	
Finding-List and Books sold,	72.15	
		5,404.18
Transferred from Sinking Fund,		1,500.00
From Real Estate Commissioners,		7,500.00
Library Fund Interest Account:		
Interest, O'Grady Mortgage,	14.66	
" Francis "	126.00	
" McCabe "	48.00	
" D. W. Allen "	120.00	
" D. W. Allen "	120.00	
" Close & Weill "	168.10	
" Quinlivin "	30.00	
" Ratajzski "	69.00	
" Curtiss "	360.00	
" Wischgrostky "	156.00	
" Barzanski "	45.30	
" Coates "	30.00	
" McNamara "	40.00	
" Close & Weill "	159.00	
" Close & Weill "	162.00	
" Close & Weill "	126.00	
" McManus "	108.00	
" Delhanty "	43.32	
" Kip "	90.00	
" on Bank Account,	129.80	
" on $37,000 Notes, Buffalo Library,	2,220.00	
		4,365.18
From Regents of the University,		200.00
		$19,988.75

DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid on Third Mortgage,		$1,500.00
Paid Library Committee:		
Salaries,	$8,607.12	
Expenses,	237.52	
		8,844.64
Books,	$5,269.61	
Binding,	1,779.36	
		7,048.97

Rooms and Fixtures Committee,	$ 798.77
Newspapers and Periodicals Committee,	505.90
Printing Committee,	585.50
Law Committee,	50.00
Accrued Interest on Mortgages purchased,	97.66
Election Expenses,	73.17
Cash on hand Feb. 22, 1896,	484.14
	$19,988.75

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1896.

Cash Account of the Library Fund.

Receipts.

1895.			
Feb. 23.	To balance on hand,		$ 1,599.03
	" Payment on Close & Weill Mortgage,	$ 100.00	
Apr. 23.	" O'Grady Mortgage, paid in full,	400.00	
June 23.	" Close & Weill Mortgage, paid in full,	4,100.00	
Nov. 2.	" McCabe Mortgage, paid in full,	800.00	
July 20.	" Payment on S. Barzanski Mortgage,	60.00	
1896.			
Jan. 20.	" Payment on S. Barzanski Mortgage,	60.00	
			5,520.00
			$7,119.03

Disbursements.

1895.			
Nov. 8.	By Purchase of First Mortgages:		
	Henry W. Kip,	$3,000.00	
	Bork & Klaus,	4,000.00	
	Balance on hand,	119.03	
			$7,119.03

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1896.

The Library Fund Consists of

Bonds and Mortgages as follows:

M. Quinlivin,	$ 500.00
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00

Thos. H. Coates,	$ 1,000.00	
Mary L. Curtiss,	6,000.00	
S. Barzanski,	665.00	
Close & Weill,	2,100.00	
Close & Weill,	2,700.00	
Close & Weill,	2,600.00	
Henry W. Kip,	3,000.00	
Thos. Delehanty,	722.00	
Anna McManus,	1,800.00	
Bork & Klaus,	4,000.00	
W. Ratajzski,	1,150.00	
Jane C. Francis,	2,100.00	
J. Wischgrostky,	2,600.00	
Ellen McNamara,	800.00	
Notes of the Buffalo Library,	37,000.00	
Cash in Bank,	119.03	
		$72,856.03

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1896.

Sinking Fund Account.

Receipts.

1895.		
Feb. 23.	Balance,	$ 65.00
	Received from Treasurer Buffalo Library,	1,500.00
		$1,565.00

Disbursements.

1895.		
April 1.	Paid on Third Mortgage,	$1,500.00
	Balance on hand,	65.00
		$1,565.00

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1896.

Real Estate Account.

Receipts.

Balance on hand February 23, 1895,		$10,585.06
Received for Rents:		
Hotel Iroquois,	$43,800.00	
361 Main Street,	3,000.00	

363 Main Street,	$ 2,499.96	
367 " "	2,250.00	
369 " "	3,750.00	
High School Annex,	2,100.00	
Sundries,	300.00	
Buffalo Fine Arts Academy,	700.00	
Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences,	500.00	
Buffalo Historical Society,	500.00	
		59,399.96
Interest, Bank Account,		218.75
		$70,203.77

DISBURSEMENTS.

Interest:		
Buffalo Savings Bank Interest, $600,000 Mortgage,	$21,000.00	
Coupons, $250,000, Second Mortgage Bonds,	12,500.00	
George L. Williams, Third Mortgage,	3,150.00	
$37,000 Buffalo Library Notes,	2,220.00	
		$38,870.00
Insurance,		1,561.50
Library Building:		
Fuel,	$1,714.28	
Water and Local Taxes,	119.32	
Painting,	639.84	
Sundry Supplies and Repairs,	718.78	
Engineer,	1,020.00	
Police,	600.00	
Cleaning and Extra Help,	979.80	
		5,792.02
Hotel Iroquois:		
Sundry Repairs,	$681.46	
Local Taxes,	23.66	
		705.12
Buffalo Library,		9,000.00
Balance on hand February 22, 1896,		14,275.13
		$70,203.77

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1896.

MEMBERSHIP.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Membership respectfully presents the following statistics on Membership:

Annual members reported February 1, 1895,		1,619
Annual members added, 1895,		655
		2,274
Annual members resigned,	459	
Members dropped for absence and non-payment,	136.	
Members deceased,	7	602
Total annual members,		1,672
Life members reported February 1, 1895,	1,162	
Life members deceased,	14	1,148
		2,820
Honorary members,		24
		2,844

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. WILLIAMS,
Chairman.

DONATIONS.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Donations beg to report the following gifts to the Buffalo Library:

Four hundred and ninety-six volumes, 401 pamphlets and 86 periodicals (63 received regularly, 23 occasionally); one rare map from Thomas Speed, Louisville, Ky.; four maps from the State Geologist of New Jersey; 20 folios of the geologic atlas of the United States, from the United States Superintendent of Documents.

Among the more important gifts to be acknowledged are the following: Government documents from Hon. Charles Daniels, the Department of State, Department of Agriculture, Bureau of

Education, Superintendent of Documents, Department of the Interior, Geological Survey, the Smithsonian Institution, and Hon. R. B. Mahany, who has designated the Library as official repository of United States public documents in his Congressional district; New York State documents from Hon. Henry W. Hill, the Secretary of State, the Superintendent of Public Works, and the State Library; Canadian public documents from J. G. Bourinot, Esq., Clerk of the House of Commons, Canada; Robert Needham Cust, LL. D., England, several volumes of his own writings; Mr. Josiah G. Munro, 20 volumes of the *Commercial and Financial Chronicle;* Mr. R. C. Hill, 21 pamphlets; Buffalo Department of Public Health, one set of blanks and records; Howard Memorial Library, New Orleans, 18 pamphlets.

Respectfully submitted,

H. T. RAMSDELL,
Chairman.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

The following is a classified statement of the newspapers and periodicals kept on file during the past year in the reading room.

Daily Newspapers,	20
Weekly Newspapers,	58
Fortnightlies,	6
Monthlies,	101
Bi-monthlies,	5
Quarterlies,	28
Occasionals,	22
	240

Of these, 140 are bound for permanent preservation; 150 are received on subscriptions, at a cost, for the year, of $505.90, while 68 are gifts.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. ALBRIGHT,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

Leases of the property of the Library remain unaltered from last year with one exception. The rooms in the Library building formerly occupied by the Art Students' League were vacated by that society on the first of June last, and on the first of September the two lecture rooms on the second floor were leased to the School of Pedagogy, with a reservation of the right to use or to grant the use for other purposes of the room in front when not required for the school. The rental agreed upon is $500 per year.

No considerable expenditures on the Library property have been found necessary during the year. Walls and ceilings of Library rooms on the main floor of the building, which had become much blackened by the sooty atmosphere of the city, were decorated afresh during the past summer at a cost of $639.84. A new iron stairway, greatly needed at the eastern end of the book-room, has been constructed, costing $102, and a water-heater for cleaning purposes in the Library building put in, the expense being $82.50. Repairs on the hotel building during the year have cost $705.12, while those on the Library building and the Annex have cost the sum of $837.10, which includes also local taxation for sprinkling, etc. Every item of indebtedness of the Board to date has been paid.

In coöperation with other societies in the building, the Board has employed a special officer, to be stationed day and evening in the vestibule, for the maintenance of order and for giving information to visitors. The result has been highly satisfactory, and is well worth the salary of $60 per month which is paid to the officer.

HERBERT P. BISSELL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed inspectors for the election of Officers and Directors of The Buffalo Library, held in the Library building on Tuesday, the 11th day of February, A. D. 1896, do hereby certify that at the said election the following named persons received, severally, the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

T. Guilford Smith, for President,	270
Robert R. Hefford, for President,	266
William P. Reed, for Treasurer,	277
John B. Weber, for Treasurer,	260
Rev. Thomas R. Slicer, for Curator,	246
Henry R. Howland, for Curator,	289
Edward R. Rice, for Manager,	248
George L. Williams, for Manager,	303
Harvey W. Putnam, for Manager,	269
Philip S. Smith, for Manager,	208
Joseph L. Hunsicker, for Manager,	294
Robert S. Donaldson, for Manager,	265
Frederick Truscott, for Manager,	304
Russell H. Potter, for Manager,	223
A. D. Bissell, for Real Estate Commissioner,	165
S. M. Clement, for Real Estate Commissioner,	144

And we further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President,	T. GUILFORD SMITH.
Treasurer,	WM. P. REED.
Curator,	HENRY R. HOWLAND.
Managers,	FREDERICK TRUSCOTT, GEORGE L. WILLIAMS, JOSEPH L. HUNSICKER, HARVEY W. PUTNAM.
Real Estate Commissioner,	ARTHUR D. BISSELL.

SEWARD A. SIMONS,
CHAS. R. WILSON,
HENRY BULL,
} *Inspectors.*

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

The address of the retiring President, Mr. Joseph P. Dudley, was then read, in his absence, by the Vice-President, as follows:

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

Your retiring President is unwilling to surrender the activities of his office without recording his appreciation of the honor which the presidency of The Buffalo Library carries with it, and without expressing his appreciation of the assistance which has been rendered to him in the management of the concerns of this institution during the year which has passed.

If the reports which are presented at the annual meeting shall indicate to you in any degree a more prosperous condition than has sometimes been the case, the credit is due to the efficient Board of Managers. Especially is this true of our retiring Treasurer, who has been able by careful and conservative management, and a right interest in the purposes of a general library, and in spite of many demands upon the income of the Library for current expenses, to devote a larger sum to the purchase of books than has been available for many years. Every possible endeavor has been made, and every possible opportunity accepted, to increase the available fund which may be used for the purchase of books, which, after all, is what makes a library efficient; and the fund, though comparatively small, has been used under the direction of our Superintendent in a way which has made it most effectual.

To all the managers and officers of this institution my gratitude is extended.

The experience of the past year has taught me that the Buffalo Library does not fill in this community, as effectively as it ought to do, the place which was undoubtedly the hope of the founders of the institution, and which the importance, prominence and size of this community demand. I cannot but feel something of chagrin when I compare the library facilities of this city and community with those of other portions of our country.

This is not in any sense the fault of the Library itself or of its management, but it is the fault, as it seems to me, of a bad system. It was well enough when our city was small and our needs limited, to establish this institution, and it is farthest from my mind to depreciate the good that has been accomplished in the years that are past; but the city of Buffalo and this community demand a larger, more effective, and better equipped, public library to meet the needs of our increased intelligence and increased desire for knowledge. The end of the nineteenth century is marked, as we all know, by a greater advance in science and learning than has been apparent in any other age, and our young republic, vast in its resources, unbounded in its ambition, and most liberal in its thought, ought to take the lead among the nations of the earth in the onward march of progress. This cannot be done, however, except through the various municipalities and political divisions of the country, each for themselves increasing the common stock of information, and thus equipping themselves for the united effort which sooner or later will make itself apparent in all the great religious, social, and scientific questions which must be constantly presented and adjusted. The city of Buffalo and this community have their place as a part of the common whole which makes up the total usually called "American thought"; but that place cannot be filled unless our citizens shall have the facilities with which to investigate all the multitudinous phases of religious, scientific and sociological advances, and learn through the most advanced channels of thought, as contained in the literature of the world, to distinguish the truth from falsehood, and thus accept the one and reject the other. How can this best be accomplished, is the question which we have at least some part in determining. The most effectual means which we can conceive would be laid at our very doors by the establishment in Buffalo of an efficient free public library.

The following statement compiled from statistics will give an approximate comparison between our own city and community and other portions of our country, in so far as statistics may indicate the intelligence and advance of any community in its desire for universal information, and no adequate result can be

reasonably expected from private endowment or support. A library should be free and should be supported out of the public funds.

The city of Boston appropriated in 1895, for the maintenance of the Boston Public Library, $175,000.00. This sum is distinct from expenditures made upon a new library building which has lately been completed at a cost of several million dollars.

The city of Chicago appropriated for the ordinary expenses of the Chicago Public Library, during the year 1895, $123,712.00. This sum also is in addition to what may be done under plans which are now maturing for the construction of a magnificent library building.

The city of Milwaukee owns its Public Library and Museum of Natural Sciences, and devoted in 1894, through tax levies, the sum of $33,971.00 for the support of its library, and in addition thereto plans have been matured for a library building to cost at least a million dollars.

The city of Detroit devoted in 1894 the sum of $38,768.15, resulting from certain special tax levies, to the support of the Detroit Public Library, and the further sum of $11,395.98 received from certain fines, making a total of $50,164.13.

The city of Cleveland, in the fiscal year 1893–1894, devoted from city taxes to the maintenance of the Cleveland Public Library the sum of $36,099.13.

The city of Minneapolis, during the year 1894, under tax levies, devoted $42,120.44 to the maintenance of the Minneapolis Public Library, and devoted from delinquent taxes the additional sum of $5,424.84, making a total of $47,545.28.

The city of Cincinnati, during the fiscal year 1894–1895, devoted through its Board of Education the sum of $41,171.00 to the maintenance of the Cincinnati Public Library, as a part of the free educational system of the city.

The city of San Francisco, through a tax levy, devoted $34,696.00 to the support of its public library during the fiscal year 1893–1894.

The city of Toronto owns its public library, and by taxation in 1894 raised and devoted to the use of the library $30,000.00.

Jersey City has established and maintained its public library, and through the Board of Finance devoted in 1894 to the support of its library the sum of $28,000.00.

The city of Newark appropriated, in 1894, the sum of $42,776.00 for the support of its public library.

The city of Buffalo furnishes us no statistics of its municipal contributions to the support of public libraries in this city.

This record, gleaned from various sections of our own country, compared with our own city and community, tells its own story.

The suggestion which I have hinted at, I believe to have been in the minds of many officially connected with this institution in years past, and also in the minds of many of the friends of this institution who are also interested in our growth as a municipality. I find something of the same line of thought running through the report of the Library Committee which was presented at our last annual meeting; but so firmly am I impressed with the desirability of making this institution a free public library, fully equipped with all the advantages which the best thought could suggest as properly going with such an institution, that I venture to give in a general way, at the risk of repetition, my own ideas of the future of this institution.

In Buffalo exists the nucleus of a free public library which would be a credit to any community. I believe that all the real estate of this institution, with the exception of the library building, should be sold, and the proceeds, with whatever might be added to this from public appropriation, should be devoted to enlarging, extending and modernizing our present building; perhaps equipping it with a gymnasium and with other quarters which might be devoted to the physical development and recreation of the public; that the property should be appraised by competent appraisers to be selected in a manner to be decided in the future, and that the city of Buffalo should then devote to the maintenance of the institution a sum of money which would at least equal the interest upon the appraised value of the property. The Library, of course, under these circumstances, should have in its management a proper representation from the municipality, and the re-organization should embody a plan for opening wide the doors of the institution free to any who might desire to ac-

cept its advantages. The time has past for this institution to be conducted as a private library. It should now take its place among the public libraries of the country. This community demands and is entitled to the benefits which such a free public library on broad grounds would give.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

The President-elect, Hon. T. Guilford Smith, now took the chair and read the following address:

Mr. President, Ladies and Gentlemen, Fellow-members of the Buffalo Library:

We are here tonight in accordance with the time-honored custom, to listen to the address of the out-going President, and to the reports of the various committees, and to learn therefrom what difficulties were encountered during the past year, and how they were surmounted by the gentlemen who have had charge of our affairs during the year 1895.

I am here to say a few words, by way of inaugural, not so much in the way of promise of what will be accomplished, as simply throwing out a few hints of what may be accomplished, and what, perhaps, will be fitting for us to undertake during the year 1896 in carrying out the scope and plan as laid out by the founders of this institution, sixty years ago.

Buffalo, as soon as it had time to think of something beyond the mere providing of shelter, food, and ordinary comfort for itself, began to yearn for something more; and while various efforts were made by the struggling community to found a library, and to establish it permanently in this community, yet these efforts were not crowned with success until 1836; although the admirable account given of the history of the early movement, by Mr. Larned, quoting from letters and addresses which have been made from time to time, shows that several attempts had been made previously.

What strikes me, in connection with this movement at that time—and of similar movements which have occurred elsewhere,

under similar circumstances—is, that while the word *library* is used, or, as is common in this State, Young Men's Associations, have been preferably adopted in early times, yet the scope and plan in each case has been much broader, more far-reaching and all-embracing, than would be simply indicated by the word "library." Thus, for instance, the Young Men's Association of Buffalo included in its aims, not only the founding of a collection of books, both for reference and circulation, but also a foundation of at least the beginning of what has since become the Historical Society, the Society of Natural Sciences, and the Buffalo Fine Arts Academy. These three institutions, now well established among us, and flourishing, and with distinct acts of incorporation, had their beginnings as committees only of the Young Men's Association—and the nucleus of the collection of historical relics, papers, etc., and of the Gallery of the Fine Arts, and of the Museum of Natural History, began in this humble way.

In the newer institutions which are growing up today; such, for instance, as the Carnegie Library, in Pittsburg, there are included in the same way, an art museum and collections of natural history, historical relics, etc. In some cases, as in this one in Pittsburg, one step further is taken, and provision is made for the cultivation of music, and for a music hall. And, in addition, owing to the liberality of the founders of these institutions, permanent endowments permit immediate creation of collections; and, further than that, the possibility of opening the doors "Free to All People."

The history of the Buffalo Library, as we now like to call it, beginning in 1836, continued with varying fortunes until 1863, when it found itself established in a building of its own, at the corner of Main and Eagle streets. This marked an epoch in the history of this institution, which continued doing its good work until 1887, when we find it established in its new home, in which we are now assembled tonight, and which is destined to be its permanent abiding place for a long time to come.

This building—especially designed for the purposes for which it is used—will no doubt shelter the various societies now within its walls until the time shall come in the future—perhaps the near future—when the needs of the various institutions may re-

quire larger accommodations, and possibly new and isolated buildings. When the time comes, for instance, that the Art Gallery shall want a home of its own, with a fine and commodious building for the purpose; or that the Society of Natural Sciences will demand for its collection a museum of its own; or the Historical Society may find it necessary to do the same—then, no doubt, the increasing needs of this Library, in the various phases of its work, may be glad of the increased accommodations vacated by the various institutions now here, as they may be needed by the Library for its own purposes.

The original aim of the founders of the Buffalo Library, by which these various societies have been clustered about it, have been carried out by their successors; and in addition to those societies which we have already enumerated, there are here in active operation, the Field Club and the Microscopical Society, as part of the Society of Natural Sciences; the Dental Society of Western New York, and the Engineers' Society of Western New York, the Society of Artists, and last year the School of Pedagogy was established, and finds its home in this same building, as a department of the University of Buffalo; so that the broad and catholic aims of the founders of this institution are still in active operation, and all that makes for increased knowledge and better education has found and will find a hearty sympathy and coöperation in the future as in the past, in the Library managers.

To show that this coöperation between the Buffalo Library and the kindred societies housed in this building has been productive of good fruit, I beg to submit a few figures, which show that the intellectual growth of this city, as represented by these institutions, has kept pace with its material prosperity:

The aggregate of the permanent funds of the Buffalo Library, Buffalo Fine Arts Academy, Buffalo Historical Society, and Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences, including the real estate, less the incumbrances thereon, amounts to $928,000. The value of the books in the Buffalo Library, and in the libraries of the other societies, and of the paintings and other objects of art in the galleries, and specimens of natural history in the museum, aggregates $260,000, and the annual income, otherwise than from rents, amounts to $16,000.

This is probably one of the best investments ever made by the city of Buffalo in the same time, and completely answers the carping critics, who complain that Buffalo is not doing its full share toward intellectual improvement.

We have gathered from the reports which we have heard tonight of what has been attempted and successfully carried out during the past season. We now come to think seriously of what we may do in 1896, and what are the limitations which are placed upon us, mainly by the lack of funds in carrying them out.

First: I would call your attention to the importance in every large city of having a free public library, so that this library shall be the crowning institution of the whole educational scheme, and that every child who enters the primary schools will expect, sooner or later, to make use of that library as its edcuation progresses. In all the New England States, and the West, this idea has gained strength, and is now well established. Pennsylvania is rapidly taking the same stand, while New York State will unquestionably follow these excellent examples. In a general way, without having had opportunity to study out the details, I am quite sure that this idea of a free library for the city of Buffalo is one which will ultimately prevail. Whether it will be firmly established here through the present Buffalo Library or not, or whether a separate institution will have to be founded to carry out this scheme, I am not at present quite able to say, nor have I quite thoroughly made up my own mind on this subject. But I do see at once, and now, how the present Library can be made much more serviceable to all the school children and others in this city than it is at present, even with the very liberal provisions under which school children are now permitted to make use of it.

Many of you are familiar with the travelling libraries established by the University of the State of New York, and which have been so popular during the years since the scheme has been established. It embraces the preparation of libraries in sets of 30 volumes, 50 volumes, and 100 volumes, with cases to contain them, and which are sent to various sparsely-populated portions of the State, to remain from four to six months at a time, and

then to be replaced by others of a similar character. The selection of the books embraced in these various libraries is confided to a committee by the Regents of the University, so that the library can be, to some extent, adapted to the community where it is to be sent, and it is also possible for the local communities to make a selection of any course of reading which they may prefer; so that travelling libraries of history can be sent to one community who desire to make that a special study, or subject of investigation, or of reading, or even sub-divisions of history can be procured, so that clubs, or societies, or reading circles, or individuals, who wish to make special studies of any particular history, may do so without difficulty.

TRAVELLING LIBRARIES FOR CITIES.

Now, it seems to me, that the same principle which has been so successfully worked out by the State, can be applied in the city of Buffalo, in connection with the public schools; and for this purpose it would only be necessary for the Buffalo Library to take upon itself the care and responsibility of procuring libraries which could be sent by them from school to school, the one sent being replaced by one from another, until all the schools in the city, numbering (say) fifty or more, can be kept constantly supplied with a travelling library, the size of the library to be adapted to each school, so that the whole can be carried out with the greatest possible economy, so far as money is concerned, and with as little labor as possible. Now, I am quite sure that the finances of the Buffalo Library would not permit it to do this unaided, and it, therefore, seems proper that an appropriation for this purpose might be obtained, either from the funds of the City appropriated for school purposes, or from the amount received by the City from the State for library purposes, and that instead of each school buying books for itself, as it now does, that the whole fund might be placed in our hands for the purchase of books, and for the starting of this scheme. I do not claim any originality for this idea; I do not know who was responsible for it first, but I believe the question was laid before the present Superintendent of Education in this city, and probably also before his predecessor. It would not involve a very large expendi-

ture of money, whether appropriated by the City or by the State, and I am quite sure that the Buffalo Library, in that way, might work in connection with almost every reader in the city.

In connection with this scheme, I would again revert to the experience which the University of the State has had in carrying out the travelling library idea, by which the experience incident to the organization of this scheme and the successful carrying out of it, had availed itself of the Library School at Albany, and which is, so far as I am aware, unique. The selection, the care, and the distribution of books, requires knowledge, experience, and hard work. The Library School at Albany embraces a post-graduate course of three years, and is a new educational scheme for the training of librarians. But we find here that it is impossible to obtain the right kind of assistance in our own Library, without considerable time spent in apprenticeship for this purpose. The superintendent of our own Library has, in a certain way, a library school of his own, and this Library is constantly training young men and women for this purpose. There is, moreover, a need today in the various societies in this building for further trained librarians who can do their work properly and most economically for the societies concerned. In connection, therefore, with the travelling library for the city, opportunity would be had for a still further training in each school for scholars who had a particular bent for this study, as each school would have its own librarian and assistants, who would have charge of the books when received, and care for them in accordance with the best methods, all of which can be prescribed and supervised from here.

No doubt difficulties will be found in the way of carrying out this scheme, but they can be surmounted. The expenditure involved will have to be carefully looked over; and I certainly would not recommend any attempt to carry it out unless it has the hearty coöperation of the Superintendent of Education, and without funds would be forthcoming either from the City or from the State to pay for it. But it does seem to me as though this matter is well worthy of consideration, and one which I am persuaded would commend itself to the good judgment of those who will give it their attention.

CHILDREN'S READING ROOM.

Any one who visits the Library cannot fail to be struck with the fact that we are beginning to feel that some of our reading rooms are not large enough for their purposes; and with a view, therefore, of relieving some of the reading rooms, I would suggest that we set apart some other room, not now occupied, as a Children's Reading Room. I believe thoroughly in making this Library a resort for children, and one to which they will go readily, and with a certain amount of enthusiasm, so that all we can do to make them welcome, and to make the place attractive, is most desirable.

When visiting the Carnegie Library, in Pittsburg, last week, I noticed that one of the largest and best fitted up rooms in the building — quite as large as any other reading room, and in every respect as well fitted up — was reserved for the children. There were crowds of children in there reading, I should say, in age, from nine or ten years upward, and evidently the facilities afforded there were thoroughly appreciated by the young people. The details of carrying out the Children's Reading Room is, of course, a matter which we must consult about with our Superintendent, but the idea, I hope, will meet with your ready endorsement.

In connection with this matter, it seems to me that the importance of ventilation of the whole building requires some thought on the part of the incoming Board of Real Estate. This building has been erected some years, and the crowded condition of the Library reading rooms render it important that any recent improvements in ventilation should now be considered, and I hope that we will be able, without too great an expenditure, to materially improve the air of the present rooms, thus adding to the comfort and health of all.

The caucus under which all nominations of officers are made, especially desired a closely contested election, and I am sure their wishes have been fully met this year. In its opinion this creates a much wider interest in the affairs of the Library, which cannot fail to add to its healthy growth.

In closing, Ladies and Gentlemen, permit me to thank you for my colleagues and myself, for your preference in the recent election, and to hope that when we do make our Report of the work for 1896, it will meet with your approval.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The President stated that standing committees for the ensuing year would be announced later. [As subsequently announced they are given on page 4.]

On motion, one thousand copies of the Annual Report were ordered to be printed for distribution.

The meeting, on motion, then adjourned.

HARVEY W. PUTNAM,
Recording Secretary.

SYNOPSIS OF LIBRARY RULES.

Members may have two books at one time, or more by paying ten cents for each extra volume.

New books in much demand may be kept one week; other books, two weeks.

Charge for retention over time, three cents per day on each book.

Costly books and volumes in series, periodicals, etc., may be drawn under special conditions.

All injuries to books must be paid for.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

1. The privileges of the Buffalo Library and the use of the books, periodicals and papers within the Library Building are *free* to all.

2. The Buffalo Library is open on Suudays from one o'clock to six o'clock P. M., and all are welcome.

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American Forestry Association,	...	1
American Humane Association,	...	2
American Institute of Homœopathy,	2	...
American Philosophical Society,	2	...
Ames, John G., Washington,	...	1
Apprentices' Library, New York,	...	2
Apprentices' Library Company, Philadelphia,	...	1
Avery, Mr. and Mrs. S. P., and the Trustees of Columbia College, New York,	1	...
Ayer, W. C., Union Village, O.,	1	3
Balch, Edwin Swift, Philadelphia,	1	...
Beebe and Son, M. E.,	1	...
Bell Telephone Co., Buffalo,	...	1
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Benson, Geo. W.,	...	5
Birkenhead (England) Free Public Library,	...	1
Blagden, Rev. Silliman, Boston,	1	...
Boston City Registrar,	2	...
Broughton, Wm. H.,	...	1
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Bowdoin College Library,	...	3
Briggs, Mrs. Horace,	1	...
Bridge House Estates Committee of the Corporation of the City of London, England,	1	...
Brookline (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
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Buffalo College of Pharmacy,	...	1
Buffalo Comptroller,	2	...

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Buffalo Department of Public Health,	1	...
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Buffalo Park Commissioners,	...	1
Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences,	...	1
Buffalo Superintendent of Education,	1	...
Buffalo Young Men's Christian Association,	...	1
Bureau of American Republics,	1	...
Burhans, Samuel, Jr., New York,	1	...
Cambridge (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Canada Department of Agriculture, Archives Branch,	1	...
Carnegie Library of Pittsburgh,	1	...
Charlton, John, Esq., M. P.,	...	2
Chicago Manual Training School,	...	1
Chicago Public Library,	...	1
Chico (Cal.) State Normal School,	...	1
Church Mission to Deaf Mutes,	...	1
Cincinnati Public Library,	1	1
Civil Service Reform Association	...	2
Clark, Martin,	...	1
Clerkenwell (London) Public Library,	...	3
Cobb, Rev. Henry C., New York, Secretary Class of '55, Yale,	2	...
Cobden Club,	...	1
Cohen, Max G.,	...	1
Cole, George Watson, Jersey City,	...	1
Commissioners of State Reservation at Niagara,	...	3
Concord (Mass.) Free Public Library	...	1
Cornell University,	...	2
Cornell University Agricultural Experiment Station,	...	2
Cornell University Weather Bureau,	3	...
Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. J. W.,	1	...
Crutikshank, E.,	...	3
Cust, Robert Needham, LL. D., London, England,	5	...
Cuthbertson, D.,	1	...
Dakin, Charles,	1	2
Daniels, Hon. Charles,	108	18
Dormer, James H.,	...	2
Dulles, Rev. Joseph H.	...	1
Durkee, E. R., West Park, New York,	1	...
Eastman, Rev. W. R., Albany,	...	1
Edwards, Mrs. M. E. H.,	...	1
Electric Railway Gazette,	...	1
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Fox, Henry, Secretary Princeton Club Western New York,	1	
Franey, John,	1	...
Franklin Reformatory House for Inebriates, Philadelphia	...	1
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Gibbons, Mrs. C. W.,	1	...
Gildehaus, Charles,	1	...
Gloversville Free Library,	...	1
Gould, Dr. Geo. M., Philadelphia,	1	...
Grand Rapids Public Library	...	1
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Green, Samuel S., Worcester, Mass.,	...	1
Grosvenor, J. W., M. D.,	...	2
Guessel, F. C. D.,	...	2
Hamilton College,	...	1
Hamilton (Ontario) Public Library,	...	1
Hartford Public Library,	...	2
Hartford Theological Seminary,	...	2
Harvard University,	2	3
Hearn, George A., New York,	1	...
Helena Public Library,	...	6
Hill, Hon. Henry W.,	5	...
Hill, R. C.,	...	39
Howard Memorial Library, New Orleans,	...	18
Howland, Henry R.,	...	5
Hubbell, Rev. W. S.,	...	1
Iles, George,	1	...
Illinois Bureau of Labor Statistics,	2	...
Illinois State Historical Library,	...	1
Indian Rights Association, Philadelphia,	...	5
Indianapolis Public Library,	1	...
Ingleside Home, Buffalo,	...	1
Ives, William,	4	...
James, Prof. Edmund J., Philadelphia,	...	1
Jersey City Free Public Library,	...	1
Jewett, Hon. Edgar B.,	...	2
Johns Hopkins University,	1	1
Jones, Rev. W. M.,	...	1
Kellicott, Prof. D. S., Columbus, O.,	...	1
Kimball, Kate F.,	2	...

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Leeds (England) Free Public Library,	...	1
Leland Stanford Jr. University,	...	2
Lenox Library, New York,	...	1
Levi, Louis E.,	1	...
Lord, Daniel M., Chicago,	1	...
McGill University, Montreal.	1	...
Macullar, Parker & Co., Boston,	1	...
Maimonides Free Library, New York,	...	1
Mann, M. D., M. D.,	...	17
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,	...	1
Massachusetts Railroad Commissioners,	1	...
Massachusetts State Board of Arbitration,	1	...
Mechanics' Institute, San Francisco,	...	1
Meister, Adam,	1	...
Michigan State Board of Charities and Corrections,	1	...
Milwaukee Public Library,	...	1
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Missouri Botanical Garden,	1	...
Mizner, Thos. W., A. M., Detroit,	...	1
Montgomery, M. L., Reading, Pa.,	...	1
Mount Holyoke College,	1	2
Mudge, Alfred, and Son, Boston,	1	...
Munro, Josiah G.,	20	...
National Civil Service Reform League,	...	1
New Bedford Free Public Library,	...	1
New Hampshire State Library,	1	...
New Jersey State Geologist,	3	...
New York Bureau of Statistics of Labor,	2	...
New York Civil Service Commission,	1	...
New York Genealogical and Biographical Society,	1	...
New York Mercantile Library,	...	2
New York State Board of Charities,	3	...
New York State Bureau of Statistics of Labor,	1	...
New York State Factory Inspectors,	1	...
New York State Forest Commission,	2	...
New York State Geologist,	4	...
New York State Grand Lodge of F. and A. Masons,	1	...
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New York University,	...	1

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Passaic (New Jersey) Free Public Library,	1	...
Paterson (New Jersey) Free Public Library,	...	2
Peabody Institute, Baltimore,	...	1
Peabody Institute, Peabody, Mass.,	...	1
Perkins Institute and Massachusetts School for the Blind,	1	1
Philadelphia Art Club,	...	1
Philadelphia Library Co.,	...	2
Philadelphia Mercantile Library,	...	1
Porter, Cyrus K.,	...	1
Porter, Peter A.,	...	1
Portland (Oregon) Library Association,	...	1
Presto Company, Chicago,	1	...
Princeton Club of Western New York,	1	...
Providence Public Library,	...	2
Reynolds Library, Rochester,	...	1
Root, Azariah S., Oberlin,	...	1
Saint Joseph Free Public Library,	...	1
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St. Paul Public Library,	...	1
Salem Public Library,	1	...
San Francisco Free Public Library,	...	2
San Francisco Mercantile Library,	...	1
Scranton Free Public Library,	1	2
Shepard, F. J.,	...	1
Smith, T. Guilford,	...	7
Smithsonian Institution,	1	5
Smythe, Albert E. S., Toronto,	2	...
Speed, Thomas, Louisville, Ky.,	1	...
Springfield (Mass.) Art Museum,	...	1
Syracuse Central Library,	...	1
Taunton (Mass.) Public Library,	...	1
Thurston, William,	...	3
Tifft, Mrs. Lily Lord,	1	1
Tokyo (Japan) Library,	...	1
Toronto Public Library,	1	1
Tralles, William A.,	1	...
United States Board of Indian Commissioners,	1	...
United States Bureau of the American Republics,	...	2
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United States Bureau of Labor,	2	1

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United States Hydrographic Office,	7	...
United States Inter-State Commerce Commission,	1	1
United States Nautical Almanac Office,	2	...
United States Naval Institute,	1	...
United States Postoffice Department,	3	...
United States Superintendent of Documents,	92	2
United States Surgeon-General's Office,	2	...
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University of Pennsylvania,	...	1
University of Rochester,	...	1
University of Vermont,	...	1
University of Wisconsin,	...	11
Utica Public Library,	1	...
Williams, Mrs. C. S.,	1	...
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Winsor, Prof. Justin,	...	1
Wisconsin State Historical Society,	3	4
Worcester (Mass.) Free Public Library,	...	1
Yale University,	1	3
Young, William Edward,	1	...
Young Men's Christian Association of North America,	1	1
Zielinski, J. de,	1	...

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American Jewess.
American McAll Record.
American Magazine of Civics.
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American Woodworker (Buffalo).
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Buffalo Evening News (file for binding).
Buffalo Express (file for binding).
Buffalo Freie Presse (file for binding).
Buffalo Medical and Surgical Journal.
Buffalo Volksfreund.
Bulletin Continental.
Catholic Union and Times (file for binding).
Chicago University. Quarterly Calendar.
Christian Register.
Christian Service.
Christian Uplook (Buffalo).
Chronicle, The (Franklinville).
Citizen.
Civil Service Chronicle.
Clerkenwell (London) Public Library. Quarterly Guide for Readers.
Cleveland Public Library. The Open Shelf.
Congressional Record.
Cook's Excursionist.
Cornell University. Agricultural Bulletins.
Cornell University Library. Bulletins.
Courant.
Dartmouth.
Denver Public Library. Bulletins.
Dixie.
Educator, The (Buffalo).
Enterprise.
Erie County Independent.

Esser Institute. Bulletins.
Examiner, The.
Fashions (Buffalo).
Good Government.
Hartford Public Library. Bulletins.
Hartford Seminary Record.
Harvard Graduates' Magazine.
Harvard University. Bibliographical Contributions.
Harvard University. Bulletins.
Helena (Montana) Public Library. Bulletins.
High School Calendar (Buffalo).
Horse Gazette (Buffalo).
Hotel Mail.
Investor.
Iron Industry Gazette (Buffalo).
Jersey City Free Public Library. Library Record.
Johns Hopkins University. Circulars.
Kindergarten News.
Kuryer Polski.
Lawrence (Mass.) Public Library. Bulletins.
Le Couteulx Leader (Buffalo).
Lend a Hand.
Literary News.
Lumber Trade Gazette (Buffalo).
Lumber World (Buffalo).
McFaul's Factory and Dealers' Supply World (Buffalo).
Milling World (Buffalo).
Milwaukee Public Library. Quarterly Index of Additions.
Minneapolis Public Library. Bulletins.
National Odd Fellow.
New Haven Public Library. Bulletins.
New York Mercantile Library.. Bulletins.
New York, Regents of the University. Bulletins and other publications.
New York State Library. Bulletins.
Newspaper Maker.
Ogontz Mosaic.
Omaha Bee.
Osterhout Free Library, Wilkes-Barré, Pa. The Library News-letter.
Our Church Work (Buffalo).
Our Record (Home for the Friendless, Buffalo).
People's Advocate.
Philadelphia Apprentices' Library. Bulletins.
Philadelphia Library Company. Bulletins.
Philadelphia Mercantile Library. Bulletins.
Philadelphia Public Library. Monthly Notes.
Phonetic Journal.
Portland (Oregon) Library Association. Our Library.

Postal Record.
Providence Public Library. Bulletins.
Review of Books.
Revue de Morale Progressive.
Rural New-Yorker.
Salem Public Library. Bulletins.
San Francisco Free Public Library. Bulletins.
Scranton Public Library. Bulletins.
Smithsonian Institute. Contributions to Knowledge (in parts).
Springfield (Mass.) City Library Association. Library Bulletin.
Standard, The.
Travelers' Record.
Triumphs of Faith.
United States Bureau of Education. Circulars of Information.
United States Bureau of Statistics. Quarterly and Monthly Reports.
United States Consular Reports.
United States Department of Agriculture. Bulletins.
United States Department of Labor. Bulletins.
United States Patent Office Gazette.
United States Weather Bureau. Publications.
Voice, The.
War Cry.
Warren County Library, Monmouth, Ill. Bulletins.
Westfield Republican.
Worcester (Mass.) Free Public Library. Additions.
Young Men's Christian Associations. Bulletins.

OTHER GIFTS.

Buffalo Department of Public Health, ... 1 set of blanks and records.
Daniels, Hon. Charles, . . . Binding of set of Official Records by Public Printer.
New Jersey State Geologist, ... 4 Maps.
Speed, Thomas, Louisville, Ky., ... 1 rare map.
United States Bureau of Education, ... Bulletins, etc.
United States Geological Survey, ... 20 folios of Geologic Atlas.

TO THE FRIENDS OF THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.

Some of the friends of the Buffalo Library, who have in mind the generous thought of enlarging its very limited endowment by gift or bequest, may wish to do so in a specific way, for the benefit of such departments of literature as interest them most. Where this is the desire, there seems to be no objection to the founding of Special Funds—named for the givers, or as they may direct—the income of which shall be appropriated wholly to the purchase of books, etc., in designated classes and lines. The following are mentioned as departments in the Library which might advantageously receive especial endowment in the suggested mode:

The Fine Arts, graphic and plastic, including Architecture.
Music.
Mechanic Arts and Manufactures—Engineering.
Chemistry—Chemical Technology, including Metallurgy and the working of Metals.
Medicine, Surgery, and the Biological and Hygienic Sciences connected with them.
Natural History, including Geology and Mineralogy.
Mathematics and Astronomy.
Politics and Political and Social Economy.
Philosophy.
Theology.
Greek and Roman Classical Literature.
Books in the German Language.
Books in the French Language.
American History, especially Family and Town and County History.

FORM OF A SPECIAL BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation, located at the City of Buffalo, New York, the sum of..... Dollars, which sum I desire that the said Library shall preserve by proper investment as a perpetual fund, to be known as The Fund, the yearly income thereof, and no more, to be expended annually in the purchase of books, periodicals, prints, maps, or other works relating to subjects connected with.....

FORM OF A GENERAL BEQUEST.

I do hereby give and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, the sum of..... Dollars.

FORM OF DEVISE.

I do hereby give, devise and bequeath to "The Buffalo Library," a corporation of the State of New York, and located at the City of Buffalo, in the State of New York, and to its successors and assigns forever.

ALL that piece or parcel of land situated, etc.

Year.	Paid for Books and Binding.	Paid for papers, periodicals, etc.	Volumes added.	Periodicals and papers taken.	Members elected and paid.	Honorary Members.	Life Members elected	No. of Paying Members.	Rate of Initiation.	Rate of Dues.	Debt of the Association.	Volumes drawn from Library.	Initiation and Dues.	Cash donations including life membership.	Net Receipts from lectures.	Amount left in Treasury.	Amount of Library Fund.	PRESIDENTS.
1836	$2,102.87	$730.00	2,700	102	400		44	400	$2.00	$2.00	$300.00	5,500	$1,234.00	$3,787.00	Free.	$189.15		Seth C. Hawley.
1837	653.13	341.00	86	45	82	8	16	304	2.00	5.00	2,484.00	7,500	1,010.74	1,425.00	Free.	198.19		Seth C. Hawley.
1838	140.51	378.00	no acc	45	53			303	2.00	5.00	2,075.00	6,300	1,121.00	484.00	Free.	78.16		George E. Hayes.
1839		250.00	none.	27	35			195	2.00	5.00	1,976.00	6,600	1,047.00	297.75	$ 4.50	69.47		Edward Norton.
1840	36.00	323.00	128	28	28		22	124	2.00	5.00	803.00	6,400	675.75	1,253.00	10.00	3.84		Walter Joy.
1841	148.40	284.90	81	33	281	1	7	407	2.00	5.00	408.62	10,400	1,352.00	418.00	35.69	63.64		Warren Bryant.
1842	103.56	289.00	122	36	90			401	1.00	3.00	370.04	11,100	1,292.00	35.50	2.00	273.23		W. L. G. Smith.
1843	84.30	158.00	248	42	57			271	1.00	3.00	481.53	9,000	868.75	53.00	7.00	164.74		W. H. Greene.
1844	73.48	204.33	20	no acc	40		1	278	1.00	3.00	545.78	8,000	878.87	52.00	No Lec.	16.75		Jabez B. Bull.
1845	427.60	140.00	385	21	64			458	1.00	3.00		8,200	1,444.44	248.28	162.90	367.93		Gibson T. Williams.
1846	159.82	208.95	155	no acc	63		1	400	1.00	3.00		9,250	1,263.25	51.25	144.47	571.39		Samuel T. Atwater.
1847	574.99	293.54	420	43	133		3	475	1.00	3.00		10,600	1,556.56	378.75	31.20	603.38		Thomas C. Welch.
1848	231.97	233.96	170	41	134	1		398	1.00	3.00		14,200	1,327.62	227.46	20.77	466.12		James Sheldon.
1849	320.04	193.07	199	31	132	1		445	1.00	3.00		12,000	1,467.12	260.42		546.75		Isaac Sherman.
1850	245.00	196.82	228	30	72	3		397	1.00	3.00		9,477	1,262.18	60.00	18.41	349.36		Chas. D. Norton.
1851	382.43	198.76	75	34	276	1	4	797	1.00	3.00		11,600	2,664.60	1,494.00	392.29	1,900.44		J. M. Hutchinson.
1852	796.67	196.87	918	48	266	2	1	814	1.00	3.00		14,440	2,708.36	85.00	152.34	2,038.98		James L. Butler.
1853	1,345.14	202.49	576	52	254	1	1	838	1.00	3.00		19,229	2,769.25	160.50	691.93	2,954.77		Bronson C. Rumsey.
1854	1,618.00	245.51	857	55	184	9	1	853	1.00	3.00		22,995	2,743.63	50.00	380.37	2,214.11		Wells D. Walbridge.
1855	730.88	233.21	679	55	344	9	3	1,070	1.00	3.00		22,793	3,524.74	150.00	271.69	3,040.53	$1,150.00	Alex. W. Harvey.
1856	2,068.41	238.45	1,289	55	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,830	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	1,200.00	John G. Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	105	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer.
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,647.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	2,500.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682.76	2,800.00	Wm. Fleming.
1860	487.69	186.44	543	50	183		6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736.93	2,850.00	David F. Day.
1861	241.80	279.53	277	55	116	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	3,200.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,212.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,300.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23.281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,628.57	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633.81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.35	5,206.43	8,288.65	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1,091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285.44	5,650.00	8,500.00	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900.00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,800.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,755	1.00	3.00	39,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	10,100.00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9,212.05	11,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,897.94	656.08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	13,300.00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.64	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,950.00	Geo. S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.72	700.00	1,144.39	3,702.62	19,750.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768.48	894	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176.40	4,493.34	20,050.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717.23	20,350.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,557.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4,009.75	300.00		2,107.42	20,735.04	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959.25	200.00		3,541.23	20,935.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737.02	21,035.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,355.60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,250.00	72,832	4,107.25	100.00		1,738.02	21,085.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660.24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,385.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,435.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,122.04	21,835.04	Wilson H. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		1,098.76	22,085.04	Charles A. Sweet
1882	4,519.81	643.00	2,794	111	422	6	6	1,776		3.00	10,500.00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550.00		231.94	22,033.74	Henry Bull.
1883	4,260.71	630.12	3,085	108	337	2	371	1,814		3.00		99,108	4,071.60			1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	116	334		406			3.00		96,113	3,873.00			1,202.86	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,657.34	646.71	3,672	133	327		95	1,369		3.00		84,918	3,144.00			1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,327.97	625.68	3,522	154	337	2		1,508		3.00	225,000.00	59,943	2,917.09			599.38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	3,724.35	800.51	3,191	171	600	2		1,614		3.00		89,935	3,667.75	124,879.25			22,183.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1888	3,365.21	637.17	2,807	191	901		8	2,178		3.00		100,136	4,406.49				22,183.74	George Gorham.
1889	3,115.56	671.64	2,630	182	437	1	6	1,881		3.00	955,000.00	102,600	3,893.95	9,700.00		15,772.01	31,883.74	Daniel H. McMillan
1890	3,425.86	494.98	2,815	183	540		10	1,729		3.00	910,000.00	102,749	4,116.68	5,700.00		17,397.05	30,298.99	Philo D. Beard.
1891	3,329.49	731.03	2,900	200	501		22	1,778		3.00	910,000.00	104,944	4,087.10	1,300.00		10,813.50	69,141.03	Ralph H. Plumb
1892	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	886		10	1,774		3.00	906,500.00	114,719	4,271.62	5,950.00		10,473.62	67,991.03	Frank M. Hollister
1893	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
1894	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	$0.00		11,935.77	67,856.03	George B. Hayes.

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Bartow, Dr. Bernard
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Beals, George
Bear, Albert
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Bennett, A. G.
Benson, Geo. W.
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Bernhardt, H. C.
Berry, C. R.
Best, J. W.
Bethman, Frank
Bettes, Walter C.
Beyer, Geo. A.
Beyer, W. J.
Beyer, Walter O.
Biddle, Edward F.
Biesinger, George
Bindeman, August
Bingham, Geo. C.
Birge, Humphrey
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Bixby, A. S.
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Borchard, H. C.
Borchard, Wm. F.
Boughton, Wm. E.
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Bowen, G. J.
Boxall, Geo. H.
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Braun, Otto E.
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Brown, Chas. H.
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Brown, Milton
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Chandler, Frank M.
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Coulson, Robt. E.
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Cunneen, John
Curtis, James E.
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Curtis, W. H.
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Dargarell, A. D.
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Dennis, Brother
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Denton, Robert
Detmers, Arthur
Deuel, Delbert
Deuther, Julius C.
Devereaux, John A.
DeWitt, Edward T.
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Diamond, F. J.
Dickinson, Thomas
Dickson, J. Will
Diehl, G. C.
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Fairchild, Joseph L. 1875
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Grau, Wm. H. 1874
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Ives, William 1858
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Sawyer, Mrs. Florence 1885
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Thornton, George H. 1866
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Whiting, Charles L. 1884
Whiting, Mrs. Charles L. 1884
Wiener, Magnus 1885
Wilcox, Ansley 1884
Wilcox, Mrs. Cornelia R. 1884
Wilcox, Daniel H. 1884
Wilcox, Mrs. D. H. 1892
Wilcox, Francis U. 1885
Wilhelm, William 1874
Wilkes, H. J. 1884
Wilkeson, Edward S. 1884
Wilkeson, John F. 1885
Wilkeson, Miss Louise 1884
Wilkeson, Samuel H. 1884
Wilkeson, William 1887
Williams, B. H. 1873
Williams, Charles Hoyt 1887
Williams, Miss Elizabeth S. 1886
Williams, Frank F. 1884
Williams, Fred. H. 1884
Williams, George L. 1888
Williams, Gibson T. 1891
Williams, Miss Grace 1886
Williams, H. C. 1884
Williams, Mrs. Harriet P. 1886
Williams, John L. 1872
Williams, John P. 1884
Williams, Louis C. 1884
Williams, Miss Martha T. 1891
Wilson, Charles R. 1884
Wilson, Charles Townsend 1884
Wilson, G. Reed 1884
Wilson, Matthew 1854
Wilson, W. Morse 1884
Wilson, Walter T. 1884
Wing, Herbert H. 1884
Wingship, W. 1872
Winslow, W. G. 1884
Winslow, Wm. G., Jr. 1886
Witmer, Mary 1886
Wolf, Miss Grace 1884

Woltge, A. A. 1884
Woodruff, Lauren C. 1884
Woods, Mrs. Nellie A. 1886
Woodworth, Claude H. 1884
Worthington, Miss S. Frances . . . 1886
Worthington, S. K. 1865
Wright, A. J. 1886
Wright, A. R. 1884
Wright, Albert B. 1886
Wright, Alfred Park 1886
Wyckoff, C. C. 1884
Young, Wm. Dixon 1892
Zacher, Charles D. 1892
Ziegele, A., Jr. 1886

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Sixty-First Annual Report,

1897.

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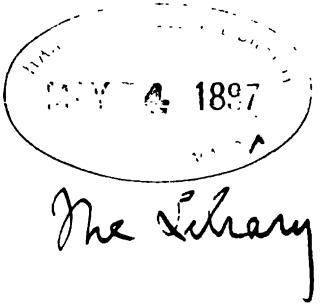


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ANNUAL MEETING, FEBRUARY 22, 1897.

BUFFALO, N. Y.
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1897.



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Library, ... MINER, WILSON, HOWLAND, ADAM, WILLIAMS.
Finance, ... WILLIAMS, RAMSDELL, TOWNSEND, REED (*ex-officio*).
Law, ... NORTON, DEPEW, HUNSICKER.
Membership, ... WILLIAMS, WARREN, ADAM, HARROWER.
Lectures, ... ADAM, DEPEW, PUTNAM.
Donations, ... RAMSDELL, WARREN, HARROWER.
Newspapers and Periodicals, MINER, WILSON, HOWLAND, WILLIAMS.
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Donations, ... HUNSICKER, GLENNY, HARROWER.
Newspapers and Periodicals, WILSON, HOWLAND, WILLIAMS, ADAM, OLMSTED.
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SIXTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT.

PROCEEDINGS

OF THE

SIXTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

BUFFALO LIBRARY,

HELD IN THE LIBRARY LECTURE ROOM,
MONDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 22, 1897.

Both the President, Mr. T. Guilford Smith, and the Secretary, Mr. Frederick Truscott, being absent unavoidably, the chair was taken by the First Vice-President, Mr. George L. Williams, and Mr. Henry A. Bull was elected Secretary *pro tem.*

The reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with, and reports from officers and committees were received, as follows:

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE.

To the Members of the Buffalo Library:

To your Library Committee the governing law of this institution has given the sole charge of the purchase of books, the employment of the officers of the Library and assistants, and the making of rules and regulations for the government of the Library, subject to the approval of the Board of Managers. It is proper that at least once a year a report of the Library management should be made, so that the record may be complete for information and comparison.

The duties of your committee would be onerous in the extreme if it were not for the experience and competency of your Superintendent, upon whom falls the burden of the active detail and direction of the Library affairs. The Superintendent's report, which will be submitted herewith, is so complete and comprehensive as to make a further report of the details from the Library Committee improper and unnecessary. Your committee may, however, call especial attention to the advancement which has been made in the year that has passed, and the bright prospects which are opening before the Library.

For years, and in fact ever since the establishment of the Library, it has been conducted, as you know, largely through private enterprise, and we venture to say has been most efficient under the limitations of its financial means. The past year has been no exception, but on the contrary it has witnessed a most important step in advance. We refer particularly to the establishment of a Children's Reading-Room. Your committee feel that this branch of usefulness is directed to the very foundation of education and good citizenship, and commends this work to the fostering care and intelligent development of the future managers of this institution. No part of the usefulness of the Library is destined to greater good. The Superintendent's report in this respect shows a gratifying statement, and we confidently expect that as the advantages and facilities for this part of the work are increased by larger financial means, the results will abundantly justify the labor and expense which may be used in the development of the children's department.

A reference to the last annual reports shows how deeply the future of the Library, as a free public institution, has taken hold of those who were most familiar with its management. None of us then dared to hope, perhaps that the desirable end was so near. Developments during the year, however, in connection with the maintenance of the Library property have proved a new inspiration, which has generally taken form through the energetic efforts of the President, chairman of the Law Committee, Superintendent, and one or two devoted friends outside of the active Board of Managers, so that at the present moment the movement towards making the Buffalo Library a free public library with an abundant appropriation from the municipal government, has so far advanced that it may now be said to be assured. Your Library Committee has been generally in touch with this movement, and looks forward to the future of the Buffalo Library as a free institution with much gratification.

Respectfully submitted,

THE LIBRARY COMMITTEE,
WORTHINGTON C. MINER,
Chairman.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

To the Curators of the Library, and Members of the Library Committee:

The work of the Library during the last twelve months has varied little in extent from that of the preceding year. We have added a slightly greater number of volumes at a slight decrease of cost. The new volumes of the year number 4,554, of which 3,792 were bought, 446 were gifts, 268 were added by binding periodicals, 5 by exchange, and 45 by transfer from "The Nook," and other sources. The expenditure for books purchased was $5,083.45.

The circulation of books shows an increase of about 2,000 volumes within the year, having risen from 140,651 to 142,659. Books used in the Library (not including reference books on open shelves) numbered 45,642, against 44,585 the year before.

CHILDREN'S READING-ROOM.

The most interesting and most important incident of the year was the opening of the Children's Reading-Room, which occurred near the end of June. It has been appreciated and enjoyed by the young public for which it was provided, as anybody may know who will look in on the lively scene that it presents during most afternoons and Saturdays, and it has more than realized expectation as to the influence exerted from it. The history of the room is told in brief, with some statistics, in the following report by Miss Fernald, who has charge of it:

"The Children's Reading-Room was opened on the 29th of June. Although announcements were sent to the newspapers and to some of the schools before they closed, the attendance for the first few weeks was naturally small; an average of 40 visitors daily through July, the highest number in one day being 76. Many of the children who came then are still more or less regular attendants, and deeply interested in the fortunes of the room.

"The children were not left to discover the room by accident. Placards were printed which read:

BOYS AND GIRLS!

A ROOM FOR YOU IN THE BUFFALO LIBRARY.
BOOKS FOR YOU TO READ.
PICTURES FOR YOU TO LOOK AT.
MAPS FOR YOU TO PUT TOGETHER.
MAGAZINES FOR EVERYBODY.
SOMEONE TO TELL YOU STORIES.
BRING YOUR LITTLE BROTHERS AND SISTERS.
COME AND ENJOY YOUR ROOM AT THE BUFFALO LIBRARY,
CORNER OF WASHINGTON ST. AND BROADWAY.

"These placards were posted wherever it seemed most probable that they would be seen by children,—at orphan asylums, the Newsboys' Home, the Workingboys' Home, in railway stations, candy stores, news-stands, missions, etc. The Charity Organization Society and the Salvation Army took charge of at least two dozen, and others were placed where newsboys apply for papers. Results were immediate and most gratifying.

"Later, when school had fairly begun, a letter was published in the children's column of the *News*, which was read by many teachers to their classes, and brought in many strangers.

"From the first, those children were attracted who stood most in need of just such a place. Many are ragged, dirty, and quite unaccustomed to books or to pictures, except those in the *Sunday World*. The small boy who called each book a "lesson" expressed a very general sentiment.

"Dissected maps, most of which were generously given by The Matthews-Northrup Co., did much to attract and hold these restless little persons until they were ready to turn to books for amusement rather than leave so pleasant a place. While the step from maps to books was made every day, the books once reached, a return to maps was very rare.

"Through August and September the average attendance was 99; the highest 245. In September the room was first opened on Sunday afternoon, and this time has ever since been only less popular than Saturday.

"Early in October it became necessary to move into a larger room. The Library was now considered, as a little boy said, 'the proper place for children when they aren't in school.' The average attendance on Saturday since October has been 482, the highest 762; average Sunday attendance, 241, highest, 459; average on other days (after school hours), 139.

"Fairy tales are, of course, in great demand. Next to these in popularity come verses and 'war books.' The scrap-books are in constant use, and, generous as contributions have been of pictures, an almost unlimited supply could still be used to advantage.

"On the 10th of December the first books were circulated from a State travelling library of 50 volumes, to which a number of others were added by gift. Three hundred and sixty-five books have been drawn. This travelling library has been a most effective means of civilizing our disorderly members, and shows what a free library will do for the children. They are ready for it; the desire to 'take books home' is universal. While the general tone of the room remains much the same, owing to the

constant addition of new visitors, many individuals have shown very marked improvement. Rough boys have grown orderly, and listless ones have begun to read. It is suggestive to note the difference between our youngest children and their older brothers and sisters. The little ones bring eager interest to bear on every picture, and learn quickly to take care of the books. They surely will not grow up to that mental laziness which characterizes many of the older ones."

THE PRINTED FINDING-LIST.

The printing of the third part of the Finding-List of the Library, so long delayed, was finished last summer, and its great usefulness since has shown the need of it in which we stood before. But the first and second parts of the same catalogue are more than ten years old, and scarcely represent half of the books now contained in the classes which they embrace. The prospective great increase in the popular use of the Library, which will come with its free opening to the public, makes an immediate new edition of those parts imperatively necessary. The work of preparing it was authorized at the last meeting of the Board of Managers, and is being pushed with vigor.

PREPARATIONS FOR FREE OPENING.

This is but part of the preparation which has to be made for the new circumstances of the Library when it becomes free. Before undertaking to supply books for home use to the whole public, an entire change will have to be made in our system of keeping accounts with borrowers, not only to give more completeness to the record, but to quicken the work of giving out and receiving books. The labor involved in this will be very heavy, including the attachment of what is called a card-pocket to the inner side of the cover of each volume in the Library, and the preparation of a special card for each. The identification and registration of our new clientage of readers, and the supplying of a borrower's ticket to each, will also be a task of no small magnitude. Moreover, there are necessary changes to be made in the delivery room, and in the working quarters of the Library, to accommodate the expected great extension of its operations.

All these preparations will require considerable time, and the public must be warned not to expect that the Library can be opened in its new character as soon as the arrangements which make it free are legally complete. Assurance can be given that the delay shall not be needlessly long.

The usual statistics of the Library are appended.

Respectfully submitted,

J. N. LARNED,
Superintendent.

APPENDIX A.

MONTHLY CIRCULATION OF BOOKS FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 30, 1897.

Subjects.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	January.	Total.	Per Cent.
Philosophy, . .	157	160	145	110	89	85	89	92	98	131	150	115	1,421	.0099
Religion, . . .	175	194	153	163	133	117	133	152	202	195	227	200	2,044	.0143
Sociology, . . .	235	271	214	187	117	194	207	247	238	286	363	260	2,819	.0207
Language, . .	20	23	23	18	14	7	10	13	21	20	16	33	218	.0015
Natural Science,	267	278	238	179	168	146	146	182	280	232	233	301	2,650	.0115
Useful Arts, . .	182	165	113	79	71	92	97	111	187	138	148	140	1,523	.0126
Fine Arts, . . .	259	314	214	188	137	114	108	208	311	269	238	276	2,636	.0195
Gen'l Literature,	1,308	1,374	1,071	996	722	669	668	743	1,279	1,271	1,150	1,182	12,433	.0877
Juvenile Fiction,	1,450	1,391	1,302	1,102	956	1,213	1,099	901	1,275	1,327	1,426	1,244	14,686	.1029
Fiction, ...	7,844	8,068	6,928	6,695	6,044	6,670	6,751	6,738	7,757	7,635	7,625	7,801	86,556	.6067
Travel, ...	481	459	359	270	204	191	181	203	396	313	323	354	3,734	.0261
Biography, . .	497	521	328	280	196	252	238	295	385	437	419	470	4,318	.0302
History, . . .	749	727	542	470	405	364	390	504	819	957	919	778	7,627	.0564
Totals, . .	13,624	13,945	11,630	10,737	9,256	10,114	10,117	10,389	13,248	13,211	13,257	13,151	142,659	1.0000
Books used in the Library for reference.	4,814	5,330	4,189	3,168	2,117	2,322	2,693	3,178	4,309	4,605	4,177	4,740	45,642	

APPENDIX B.

CLASSIFIED EXHIBIT OF THE BOOKS AND PAMPHLETS NOW IN THE LIBRARY AND THE NET ADDITIONS TO THE FORMER MADE DURING THE YEAR.

	Net Additions.	Total.	Pamphlets.
Bibliography,	84	970	1,555
General Cyclopædias,	1	366	...
General Periodicals,	...	1,508	27
Polygraphy, etc.,	14	274	20
Philosophy,	134	1,671	227
Religion,	207	5,852	483
Law, Politics, Political Economy, etc.,	346	7,032	1,336
Education,	101	1,034	762
Commerce,	37	1,072	727
Statistics,	28	607	50
Other Social Subjects,	64	925	302
Philology,	31	632	36
Natural Science,	168	4,692	376
Useful Arts,	267	4,351	915
Fine Arts,	156	2,770	210
Literary Periodicals,	225	4,880	...
English Poetry, Criticism, etc.,	407	5,463	100
English Prose Fiction,	856	13,989	...
German Poetry, etc.,	38	592	1
German Prose Fiction,	2	872	...
French Poetry, etc.,	19	874	14
French Prose Fiction,	88	1,306	...
Italian Literature,	9	191	2
Spanish Literature,	...	108	...
Greek and Latin Literature,	8	471	3
Other Literatures,	24	522	3
Travel and Description,	214	5,205	226
Travel: Maps (486),	17	...	...
Biography,	255	5,966	315
History: American,	150	3,252	522
History: Other Countries,	285	5,542	131
Local History and Literature,	100	1,364	2,319
Books in Children's Reading-Room,	...	358	...
New Books (duplicates in The Nook),	...	62	...
		84,773	10,662
Duplicate volumes not catalogued and not in use,		1,386	
		86,159	

Added during the year:

By purchase,	3,792
By gift,	446
By binding,	268
By exchange,	5
From other sources,	43
	4,554
Maps added (by purchase, 10; by gift, 7),	17

Expended for books,	$5,083.45
Expended for binding,	1,291.76

TREASURER'S REPORT.

WM. P. REED, *Treasurer, in account with the* BUFFALO LIBRARY.

CONDENSED STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Feb. 22, 1896,	$14,943.30
Contribution to permanent fund by Mrs. Agnes Demarest,	20,000.00
Mortgages paid,	3,357.00
Life membership,	50.00
Rents,	57,614.96
Maintenance of Library Building,	1,970.00
Dues, fines, book rent, etc.,	4,611.47
Interest Library Fund account,	4,654.68
	$107,201.41

DISBURSEMENTS.

Interest, $600,000, first mortgage,	$21,000.00
" $250,000, second "	12,500.00
" $51,000, third "	3,060.00
" $37,000, Buffalo Library notes,	2,220.00
Account principal third mortgage,	1,500.00
Insurance,	1,558.02
Repairs, Library Building,	6,609.20
Wages, employees Library Building,	3,046.26
Repairs, Hotel Iroquois,	1,100.77
" High School Annex,	285.00
Library Committee,	15,891.82
Rooms and Fixtures Committee,	1,649.76
Newspapers and Periodicals Committee,	595.12
Printing Committee,	1,483.54
Election expenses,	89.45
Loans on bond and mortgage,	19,000.00
Balance on hand Feb. 22, 1897,	15,612.47
	$107,201.41

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1897.

REAL ESTATE ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Feb. 22, 1896,		$14,275.13
Received for Rents:		
Hotel Iroquois,	$43,800.00	
361 Main Street,	3,000.00	
363 Main Street,	2,499.96	
367 "	2,250.00	
369 "	3,125.00	
High School Annex,	2,100.00	
Sundries,	840.00	
		$57,609.00
For Maintenance of Building:		
Buffalo Fine Arts Academy,	720.00	
" " acc't Art Students' League,	500.00	
Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences,	500.00	
Buffalo Historical Society,	250.00	
		1,970.00
		$73,860.09

DISBURSEMENTS.

Interest:		
First mortgage, $600,000,	$21,000.00	
Second " $250,000,	12,500.00	
Third " $51,000,	3,060.00	
Buffalo Library notes, $37,000,	2,220.00	
		38,780.00
Account principal third mortgage,		1,500.00
Insurance,		1,558.02
Library Building:		
Fuel,	$1,186.55	
Local taxes,	104.90	
Heating Art Gallery,	956.77	
Repairing roof and gutters,	1,212.12	
Newspaper stacks,	450.00	
Ventilating,	374.57	
Sundry repairs,	2,324.29	
Engineer,	1,020.00	
Police,	720.00	
Cleaning and extra help,	1,306.26	
		9,655.46
Hotel Iroquois, sundry repairs,		1,100.77
Repairing roof, High School Annex,		285.00
Buffalo Library,		10,600.00
Balance on hand Feb. 22, 1897,		10,380.84
		$73,860.09

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1897.

BUFFALO LIBRARY ACCOUNT.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand Feb. 22, 1896,		$484.14
Dues,	$3,579.25	
Fines,	766.93	
Book rent,	183.98	
Catalogues and books sold,	47.24	
Sundries,	34.07	
		4,611.47
From Real Estate Commissioners,		10,600.00

Library Fund, Interest Account:

Interest, Close and Weill mortgage,	$126.00	
" " " "	162.00	
" " " "	78.00	
" Kip "	180.00	
" Delahanty "	43.32	
" McManus "	108.00	
" Quinlivan "	30.00	
" D. W. Allen "	120.00	
" D. W. Allen "	120.00	
" Coates "	90.00	
" Curtiss "	360.00	
" Barzanski "	38.85	
" Klaus "	240.00	
" Ratajezski "	69.00	
" Francis "	126.00	
" Wischgrostky "	156.00	
" McNamara "	40.00	
" On Bank account,	347.51	
" $37,000, Buffalo Library notes,	2,220.00	
		4,654.68
		$20,350.29

DISBURSEMENTS.

Library Committee:

Salaries,	$9,323.64	
Expenses,	192.97	
		$9,516.61
Books,	$5,083.45	
Binding,	1,291.76	
		6,375.21
Rooms and Fixtures Committee,		1,649.76
Newspapers and Periodicals Committee,		595.12
Amount forward,		$18,136.70

Brought forward,	$18,136.70
Printing Committee,	1,483.54
Election expenses,	89.45
Balance on hand Feb. 22, 1897,	640.60
	$20,350.29

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1897.

Library Fund Account.

Receipts.

1896.			
Feb.	22.	Balance on hand,	$ 119.03
March	25.	Close and Weill mortgage paid in full,	2,600.00
April	7.	Contribution to permanent fund by Mrs. Agnes Demarest,	20,000.00
May	5.	J. H. Lascelles, life membership,	50.00
July	1.	Interest, Bank account,	159.33
	21.	S. Barzancki, on account mortgage,	35.00
Oct.	5.	Delahanty mortgage paid in full,	722.00
Dec.	31.	Interest Bank account,	188.18
			$23,873.54

Disbursements.

July	1.	Interest to Buffalo Library account,	$ 159.33
Nov.	19.	Julius L. Saperston, bond and mortgage,	7,000.00
	27.	Jacob Davis, " "	12,000.00
Dec.	31.	Interest to Buffalo Library account,	188.18
1897.			
Feb.	22.	Balance on hand,	4,526.03
			$23,873.54

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

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Buffalo, February 22, 1897.

The Library Fund Consists of

Bonds and Mortgages as follows:

Close and Weill,	$2,100.00
Close and Weill,	2,700.00
Henry W. Kip,	3,000.00
Anna McManus,	1,800.00
M. Quinlivan,	500.00
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00
Amount forward,	$12,100.00

Brought forward,	$12,100.00	
D. W. Allen,	2,000.00	
Thos. H. Coates,	1,000.00	
Mary L. Curtiss,	6,000.00	
S. Barzancki,	630.00	
Joseph Klaus,	4,000.00	
W. Ratajezak,	1,150.00	
Jane E. Francis,	2,100.00	
J. Wischgrostky,	2,600.00	
Ellen McNamara,	800.00	
Julius L. Saperston,	7,000.00	
Jacob Davis,	12,000.00	
Notes of the Buffalo Library,	37,000.00	
Cash on hand,	4,526.03	
		$92,906.03

I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

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Buffalo, February 22, 1897.

SINKING FUND ACCOUNT.

Balance on hand Feb. 22, 1896,	$65.00
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I have examined the within account and, upon comparison with the books and vouchers, find the same to be correct.

H. T. RAMSDELL, *Auditor.*

Buffalo, February 22, 1897.

LAW.

To the Members of the Buffalo Library:

Early in the summer of the past year, a grave emergency arose in the affairs of the Library, caused unexpectedly by a legislative enactment which subjects to taxation in future the property, heretofore exempted, from which the Library derives most of its revenue. The situation thus produced came frequently into discussion during the summer and autumn follow-

ing, but no action upon it was taken until after the excitements of the presidential canvass and election had subsided.

On the twelfth of December the Board of Managers submitted to the public, through the newspapers of the city, the following statement, setting forth in plain terms the critical circumstances of the Library and inviting the co-operation of the City in joint arrrangements to make it entirely free, with adequate support :

To the Public :

Of late years a feeling that the Buffalo Library must be made entirely free has been gaining ground rapidly. The public mind has been awakening to the fact that Buffalo is far behind other cities in the matter, and that it is largely losing, as a consequence, one of the greatest educational influences of the time.

From its own resources the Library can give no more to the public at large than it has given already. It can go no further in the direction of freedom than it has done, by opening its reading-rooms to every comer, for all uses of books within its own walls, and by distributing 1,000 free tickets among pupils in the public schools. Thus far its revenues have barely permitted that degree of liberality, and henceforward it will lack the ability to go even so far in serving the public of Buffalo if it is not helped from other resources than its own.

It is well known that the Library depends mainly for its support upon the property with which it was endowed more than 30 years ago, and on which the Hotel Iroquois was built in 1888–89. The erection of that costly hotel building, after the calamitous destruction of the Richmond Hotel on the same site, was an undertaking to which the Library was pressed by an urgent public feeling. Its Managers responded to what was really a demand of the city for a hotel building of strictly fire-proof construction and of the most perfect equipment. In doing so, an enormous indebtedness was incurred, and the financial situation of the Library on the completion of the building was less favorable than it had been while the property was in its former state. But Buffalo was benefited by the enterprise beyond measure. It is not too much to say that the phenomenal advance in growth and prosperity which our city has made within the last decade would have been impossible without it. There are few who will deny that business has

been promoted and property values raised by the attractive influence of its notable hotel to an extent that would cover the cost of the building several times over. The Library alone has been a loser from the enterprise, and that simply because of the great burden of indebtedness which resulted.

Consideration of these facts has given the Library a strong, just claim on the good-will of the public of Buffalo, quite aside from the claim which rests upon its educational services. The exemption of its property from taxation has been rightly looked upon as an aid twice earned and twice repaid.

Now that exemption is withdrawn, by the operation of a general law enacted at the last session of the Legislature, which applies taxation to all property owned, not occupied, by any public institution and yielding revenue to it by rental. The effect of this enactment will be to deprive the Buffalo Library of the greater part of its support. Its circumstances are shown by the following statement of its gross income and the fixed charges against it which have to be met before anything becomes available for the maintenance of the Library itself. As the existing leases in the hotel building do not expire until the year 1900, there can be no increase of revenue for four years to come:

ANNUAL REVENUE.

From rents,	$57,400	
From societies occupying the Library building,	1,700	
From invested Library Fund,	5,570	
From annual dues of members,	4,500	
From miscellaneous sources,	1,400	
		$70,570

FIXED ANNUAL EXPENDITURE.

Interest on debt,	$38,720	
Average for five years past of annual expenditure on property for repairs, heating, janitorship, policing, cleaning, etc,	7,980	
Premium on insurance,	1,270	
		47,970
Present net income,		$22,600

From this net income there will hereafter be deducted annual taxes to the amount apparently of not less than $17,000, since the hotel property stands assessed at $861,855. This will leave for the whole maintenance of the Library and all its work little more than $5,000. But last year its administrative expenses, for salaries, book-binding,

printing, furnishings, etc. (and no library in the country is more economically administered), were $12,057.67, and it expended $5,775.51 for books and periodicals, making a total of $17,833.18.

It is plain from this showing that the Library, as now to be taxed, must receive extensive help from some quarter, in order to continue its work. It seems to be equally plain that the needed help should come from the municipality of Buffalo, in connection with some arrangement for making the institution entirely free to the whole public of the city. Indeed, there are many who look with no regret at the situation now produced, because they believe that it will hasten action to that end.

Alone among the important cities of the United States north of the Potomac and the Ohio—alone in a list that would take in many much inferior to her in rank—Buffalo has never yet completed her system of free public education by crowning it with a free public library, for the circulation of books and the encouragement of reading in the homes of her people. Almost every community east and west of us, from the oldest to the newest and from the greatest to the least, has been maintaining a free library at public cost for years, by the side of its free schools, as an equal and kindred public need. As a rule, too, there is no municipal undertaking more liberally and willingly provided for. The following table, compiled from the latest reports at hand, shows the yearly expenditure of twenty cities, in different sections of the country, for the maintenance of free circulating libraries. Few of these cities exceed Buffalo in size, while several of them contain but a small fraction of our population and wealth. In the case of Boston Chicago, Milwaukee, Newark and Providence the expenditure stated is exclusive of large sums applied to the splendid new library buildings which those cities have erected or are erecting at public cost.

Cleveland, in the year ending August 31, 1895,	$41,170
Detroit, in 1895,	41,417
Milwaukee, in the year ending August 31, 1895,	33,268
Minneapolis, in 1895,	48,650
St. Louis, in the year ending April 30, 1895,	48,358
San Francisco, in the year ending June 30, 1895	42,091
Cincinnati, in the year ending June 30 1896,	54,066
Baltimore, in 1895,	49,351
Providence, in 1895,	35,032
Worcester, Mass., in the year ending November 30, 1895,	30,477
Springfield, Mass., in the year ending May 5, 1896,	26,059
Toronto, in 1895,	31,818

Boston, in the year ending January 31, 1896,	219,416
Chicago, in the year ending May 31, 1896,	138,559
Newark, in 1895,	40,651
Jersey City, in 1895,	30,942
Scranton, Pa., estimate for 1896,	15,874
Omaha, in 1895,	17,255
Salem, Mass., in 1895,	12,141
Brookline, Mass., in the year ending January 31, 1895,	12,104

The Enoch Pratt Free Library at Baltimore is maintained by the city, but mainly from the revenue of a fund which was given to Baltimore for the purpose by the late Enoch Pratt. The Worcester, the Springfield and the Providence libraries are partly supported by invested funds. The other libraries named derive their support, either wholly or almost wholly, from the public treasury.

The scale of expenditure in these free libraries, it will be seen, is much greater than the Buffalo Library has ever been able to afford. That is necessarily the consequence of their freedom and of the energy that is being everywhere developed in them as active agencies in the spread of education. Judging from the experience of other cities, the circulation of books from the Buffalo Library, if it were made entirely free to all residents, with such an equipment of branches and delivery stations as ought to be connected with it, would become not less than three or four times as extensive as it now is, with expenses not proportionately, but correspondingly, increased. In order to develop its functions fully to the educational standard of the present day, it should not only spread its influence through branch libraries and scattered stations for the delivery of books, but also by the organization of a great penetrating system of small "traveling libraries," to do within the city what the traveling-library system of the State is beginning to accomplish in a larger arena. These little circulating collections of carefully-chosen books, sent out to schools, to orphanages, to reading clubs, to trades unions, to newsboys' lodging-houses, and the like, to police stations and engine-houses, and wherever, in fact, they would find welcome and good usage, with periodical exchanges made once in three or six months, are such seed-sowers of intelligence and cultivation as no community can afford at this day to be niggardly in employing.

For all these activities the need in Buffalo of a free public library, supplied adequately with funds, is very great; but even greater yet is the need of such a library for close association and co-operation with its public schools. In some cities the teaching of the schools has

been fairly revolutionized of late years by the extent to which the use of a living literature has been brought into it from the public library. Under present circumstances, our own schools can do little in that direction. The Buffalo Library has offered them what help it could by issuing 1,000 free tickets to pupils in the schools and by making its rooms free to them. But that does not reach the great need which exists of a liberal supply to the class-rooms of the schools of literature (not text-books) which teachers and students can use together.

Looking at all these demands, the free-library expenditures shown above are quite easily understood. But the cities referred to have been carrying on such municipal expenditures for years and have paid in the past for the building up of the libraries which they now support. In Buffalo, on the contrary, a small number of citizens, comparatively speaking, have borne the cost hitherto of the creation of a noble library of 84,000 volumes, which represents, with its fine fireproof building, a property to be valued at more than $500,000. The same few citizens have contributed and accumulated the permanent library fund, which yields, as shown above, a fixed income of over $5,000. The use of all this magnificent property, we venture to say (little doubting that we speak for the general membership of the association which owns it), may be had by the City, if it chooses to contribute to the support of the library by such provision as will make it free and will properly enlarge its work.

With an income of, say, $50,000, it would be possible for us to establish branch libraries, with good collections of books and reading-rooms well equipped, at Black Rock, at Cold Springs and on the East Side of the city. We could plant stations elsewhere for the receiving and delivering of books by a systematic wagon service, extending to all points. We could organize an effective system of travelling libraries, to penetrate every opening that can be found for the introduction of good literature. It would become possible for us to enlarge our provision (already quite extensive) of books in the German language, and, furthermore, to meet the want of books in their own languages among our Polish and Italian citizens. We could fully develop the surprising possibilities which our lately-opened children's room has shown in the way of cultivating wholesome tastes in reading among the young of the city. With adequate means we could do this not only at the central library, but at the branches. Is there any other equal expenditure of public money that will accomplish so much good and give so much happiness to young and old in the city?

Remembering that a large part of what the city is asked to contribute to these ends will be annually returned to its treasury in the taxes collected from the property hitherto exempted, the actual cost to it of the arrangement proposed will be small, compared with the expenditure of other cities in the same educational field.

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The suggestion made in this paper was welcomed immediately with warm interest, by press and people. Every journal gave support to it, and associations of every character, including the Merchants' Exchange and the Labor Unions in their general Council, made haste to adopt resolutions strongly urging the municipal government to take measures for its realization.

By the intervention of the holiday season, definite movements toward the end contemplated were deferred until the following month. They were opened with energy on the 6th of January, when your committee, to whom the subject had been referred, called together a considerable number of those friends of the Library who have been most active in its service during past years, and asked their counsel as to the course of action to be pursued. Some whose presence was much desired were detained by various causes, but the following gentlemen took part in the meeting. James O. Putnam, Daniel H. McMillan, George Gorham, Robert B. Adam, Henry A. Richmond, Ralph Plumb, Frank M. Hollister, James Fraser Gluck, Edward H. Butler, James Mooney, Howard H. Baker, Porter Norton, Peter P. Burtis, Henry R. Howland, Henry P. Emerson, Worthington C. Miner, Harvey W. Putnam, Andrew Langdon, Thomas T. Ramsdell, E. Corning Townsend, Nathaniel W. Norton, Ganson Depew, J. N. Larned.

Mr. Gorham was called to the chair, and, after a free discussion, in which the needs of both the Buffalo Library and the Grosvenor Library, and their relations to the educational interests of the city, were considered, a committee representing the two libraries was appointed, to confer with members of the Common Council, and to prepare and present, after such conference, a petition to that body asking for its co-operation in procuring legislation to authorize proper measures for the adequate maintenance of the Buffalo Library and the Grosvenor Library. The committee named by the chair were the following: Nathaniel W. Norton, Chairman; Daniel H. McMillan, James Mooney, James Fraser Gluck, F. C. M. Lautz, E. H. Butler, John G. Milburn, Robert B. Adam, G. Frederick Zeller. Mr. Gorham was requested by Chairman Norton to act with the committee.

As the first result of the conference of this committee, a petition was presented to the Common Council, at the meetings of its two branches the following week, to which that body responded favorably by appointing committees of three from each branch to act with the above-named committee of the libraries, and with the Mayor, the Superintendent of Education, and the City Clerk, in formulating a plan of action toward the

end proposed. In these committees the Common Council was represented by Aldermen Maischoss, Boeckel, Summers, and Councilmen Ash, Byrne and Zipp.

The first meeting of the joint committee thus constituted was held Thursday evening, January 14, Aldermen Maischoss, Summers, and Boeckel, Councilmen Zipp and Byrne, and Messrs. Norton, McMillan, Gluck, and Mooney being present. Mr. Norton was chosen Chairman, and J. N. Larned appointed to act as Secretary.

A free and frank discussion of the subject in its general bearings showed entire harmony of purpose and view as between the representatives of the city government and those of the two libraries. A sub-committee, consisting of Messrs. Norton, McMillan, Gluck, Councilman Byrne, and Alderman Boeckel, was appointed to prepare the draft of an act for the required legislation, with an explanatory statement of facts and estimates of required expenditure for the proper maintenance of the Buffalo and Grosvenor Libraries, on the footing of freedom and educational efficiency in contemplation.

The joint committee adjourned to meet again on Saturday afternoon, January 16.

At the adjourned meeting of the joint committee on the 16th, there were present His Honor Mayor Jewett, and the Superintendent of Education, Prof. Henry P. Emerson; Councilmen Byrne, Ash, and Zipp; Aldermen Boeckel and Maischoss; Messrs. Norton, Gorham, Adam, Mooney, McMillan, and Gluck; with the Secretary.

Mr. Norton, from the sub-committee, submitted the draft of an act to be reported to the Common Council for its approval, and for recommendation to the Legislature of the State. Discussed section by section, the proposed act was adopted as read; as was, likewise, the draft of an accompanying report, read by the Committee's Secretary, Mr. Larned.

On Monday, the 18th of January, the report of the joint committee, with the drafted bill, were presented to the Board of Aldermen. The following is the text of both:

To the Honorable Common Council of the City of Buffalo:

The committees of conference appointed to represent, on one part of the two branches of the Common Council of the City of Buffalo, and, on the other part, the Buffalo Library and the Grosvenor Library, respectfully report:

That several joint meetings of the committees have been held, at which the whole subject of an arrangement between the municipal corporation and the Buffalo Library corporation, for the purpose of making the use of the library in question entirely free to the public of Buffalo, as a lending library no less than as a library for the reference use of books, and the extension of the library facilities of Buffalo, has been freely and fully discussed, with the result of an agreement in submitting the recommendations which follow, to wit.:

That the Legislature of New York be asked to pass an enabling act which shall provide for the maintenance of the Buffalo and the Grosvenor Libraries, and which shall authorize the Buffalo Library to convey to the City of Buffalo its entire collection of printed books and pamphlets, in trust for the free use of the present and future inhabitants of the city; and which shall further empower the City of Buffalo to enter into such contract with the said, the Buffalo Library as its Common Council and its Mayor may approve, by the terms of which contract the following ends shall be attained:

1. The continued use of the library lands and buildings on Broadway, Washington, Clinton and Ellicott Streets shall be secured, for the keeping and management of the books proposed to be conveyed to the city, together with the additions that will be made to them.

2. The entire net revenues of the Buffalo Library hereafter, from any and every source, shall be applied to the maintenance and increase of the said collection of printed books and pamphlets, and all the increment thereof shall be the property of the City of Buffalo.

3. In consideration of these conveyances from the Buffalo Library, and this contributed use of its property, for the purpose of creating a free public library, the City of Buffalo shall undertake to provide, by annual taxation, such supplementary fund as is necessary for the maintenance of said library, with sufficient liberality to place it on an equal footing with the free libraries of other cities, and to obtain from it in the fullest measure possible, the great service to common education which a free library can render.

4. The management of the library shall be placed under a Board of Trustees, part of the members of which shall be chosen by the life

members of the library corporation and part appointed by the Mayor, with the consent and approval of the Common Council, the Mayor and the Superintendent of Education being added *ex-officio.*

These recommendations are embodied with more precision in the accompanying draft of a bill, which is proposed for introduction in the Legislature as a measure desired by the Common Council and the general body of the citizens of Buffalo.

The recommendations of this report are based on facts which ought to be briefly stated with them.

First, as to the existing circumstances of The Buffalo Library:

Aside from what may be called its equity in the Iroquois Hotel property, the possessions of the Library are valued by competent judges as follows:

Books, etc. (84,000 volumes, 10,000 pamphlets),	$125,000
Library building and grounds,	625,000
Furniture and fittings,	20,000
Invested Library Fund,	92,856
	$862,856

Add equity in Iroquois Hotel building and land, which is estimated variously from $250,000 to $300,000, and we have more than a million of dollars as the total of property which the Library, under this proposed agreement, will contribute to the creation of a free library for Buffalo, partly by full conveyance to the city and partly by gift of the use of it.

But notwithstanding the magnitude of its property, the income of the Library is found to be so small that it will be nearly extinguished by the impending assessment of taxes on the Iroquois Hotel. This state of things is consequent on the heavy debt that was incurred in the building of the hotel, and the long lease at low rental which was necessarily made at the time of its completion. Until the lease expires in 1900, the financial situation of the Library must remain about as shown in the following statement:

The gross and net revenue from the Iroquois Hotel property is as follows:

Annual rental of Hotel Iroquois, and stores in the building,		$55,300
Annual interest payments on the debt of the Library,	$38,720	
Average for five years of annual expenditures on hotel building for repairs, local assessments, etc. (exclusive of permanent improvements),	3,367	
Annual premium on insurance of hotel building,	750	
		42,837

The gross and net income of the Library from other sources, is:

Annual income from invested Library Fund of $92,856, yielding at the most 6 per cent.,	$5,570
Annual dues of members, about,	4,500
Fines and other sources, about,	1,400
Rent of High School annex (old Court House building),	2,100
Total gross income from other sources than Hotel Iroquois,	$13,570

Against which there are fixed charges to be met, before the Library receives anything for its maintenance, as follows:

Average for five years of the annual cost of repairs, heating, janitorship, policing, etc., of the Library building,	4,613	
Toward which the Fine Arts Academy, the Historical Society, and the Society of Natural Sciences contribute	1,700	2,913
Annual premium on insurance of Library building and books, and on the old Court House building,		520
		$3,433
This leaves a net income outside of revenue from the Iroquois Hotel property, of		10,137
Adding the latter,		12,463
Makes a net total of		$22,600
Pay taxes, say		17,000
There remains for the support of the Library,		$5,600

Of this $4,500 has been estimated above as being derived from annual dues, which will be extinguished if the Library is made free. It is probable that time will improve these circumstances, and all the improvement will be to the advantage of the city under the contract arrangement proposed.

Secondly, as to the need of a free public library as part of the system of common public education:

Our city has been strangely slow in recognizing this obvious need. Outside of the Southern States there is no other town of importance which has not already provided for its citizens an ample store of books for free distribution among readers, young and old. In most leading cities, the free library is now an old institution, the growth of years, representing a large, long-continued expenditure of public funds, and so fixed in the habits and affections of the people that they could spare it no more easily than they could spare their free schools.

Boston was the first city in the world to found a free lending library supported by public taxation. That was done in 1850, and the Boston

Public Library has stood to this day the first and greatest of its class —conspicuously so in the famous new building which it entered two years ago. It contained at the last report 628,297 volumes, and the cost of its maintenance in 1895, with nine branches and thirteen delivery stations, exceeded $200,000. The example of Boston was speedily followed in other parts of New England, and after a few years was carried into the West. Detroit founded a free library in connection with its school system as early as 1865, providing for the maintenance first by an appropriation of certain fines and penalties assessed in the courts, together with moneys paid for exemption from military duty. In 1881 there was added to these funds a definite tax levy of one-fifth of a mill. Last year the library contained 143,000 volumes, and its cost was $41,417.

In Cleveland the free library was opened by the Board of Education in 1869. It has now grown to nearly 100,000 volumes, with three branches, and the expenditure upon it in the year which ended August 31, 1895, was $45,039. The provision for its support is a tax levy of five-tenths of a mill on the dollar.

In the same year, 1869, the Cincinnati Board of Education established a free library under authority to levy a tax of one-tenth of a mill for the purchase of books, and to provide from other school funds for salaries and other expenses. As reported June 30, 1896, the library contained 185,982 volumes, and the expenditures upon it for the year had been $54,066.

Chicago followed in 1872, founding a library which contained last June 217,000 volumes, and circulated 1,173,586 volumes, largely through 31 delivery stations. The provision for its support is a tax levy of one-half of a mill on the dollar. In 1891, for the purpose of erecting a new library building, the City procured authority to increase this tax for five years from one-half of a mill to two mills. The building now approaching completion is exceeded in magnitude and cost only by the new buildings of the National Library at Washington, and the Public Library at Boston. The maintenance of the Chicago Public Library cost last year $138,559.

In 1878 Milwaukee took steps to create a free library, as a branch of the educational department of the city, with authority of law to levy and collect for its support an annual tax of one-fourth of a mill on the dollar. The Library now contains more than 80,000 volumes, and its cost in the year ending August 3, 1895, was $33,268.

The young city of Minneapolis established its free library in 1885, by contract with an existing library association, on a plan much like that

now proposed in Buffalo. The City, however, was required to erect a library building, which cost, with the ground, $325,000. It applies to the support of the Library an annual tax levy of five-tenths of a mill, expending $48,650 in 1895, and maintaining three branches and five delivery stations, besides the main library.

In St. Louis, a public school library has existed since 1865, but only with partial freedom, its privileges generally being dependent on a membership subscription of $2 per year. In 1893, the citizens voted on a proposal to tax themselves one-fifth of a mill on the dollar for the purpose of making the library entirely free, and decided it affirmatively by 36,235 against 6,188. Under its new conditions, the maintenance of the library, with one branch and two delivery stations, cost $48,358 in the opening year.

Our Canadian neighbors of Toronto have maintained a free public library since 1883, under a law which permits the City to apply to its support the proceeds of a tax levy not exceeding one-fourth of a mill on the dollar. The expenditure under this law in 1895 was $31,818.

These are given as a few examples, to show what nearly all cities and towns of any degree of importance are doing in the support of free libraries, with unanimity of opinion among them as to the great profitableness of the effects which they derive from the expenditure.

Thirdly, as to the nature and extent of the freedom with which a free library can loan its books to residents of the city:

The free privilege of borrowing does not mean that any person can, at once, without preliminaries, demand and receive books from the library; but it means that any resident of good character can obtain registration at the library and receive a borrower's ticket on being identified in some proper way, either by acquaintance with people at the library, or by introduction, or by inquiry from the library where necessary. If he is the head of a family, he can give guarantees for any or all members of it, which will enable each one to obtain registration and a borrower's ticket. Each borrower must give his signature to an obligation which makes him responsible for all books drawn from the library on his ticket. In many cities the obligation is enforced by an ordinance and made effective by the agency of the police, after other means of recovering an over-due book have failed. From a well managed free library the loss of books is comparatively small, unless considerable freedom of access to shelves is given to the general public. In St. Louis, where failure to return a book after

notification from the library is made a misdemeanor by city ordinance, and prosecuted as such, only 10 books were reported lost in the first year of the system. The Enoch Pratt Free Library, of Baltimore, reports a loss of only 163 books in 10 years. The Chicago Public Library reported 218 volumes missing last year, but added that 72 had been recovered out of 192 missing the previous year. In the Minneapolis Public Library, great freedom of access to shelves is given, and the loss in 1894 was 175 volumes.

In Cleveland, where the books are entirely open to readers, the latest report showed 493 volumes unaccounted for.

Fourthly, as to methods employed in free library systems for placing books easily at the command of people throughout the city:

It is desirable, of course, that residents in outer districts should be given means to procure books without personally visiting a centrally situated library. In some cities, as in Chicago, for example, this is done by establishing mere delivery stations in various quarters. Such delivery stations are of two classes. One is just an agency arranged for with the proprietor of some drug store or other shop, who is willing to handle books going and coming between the library and his neighbors, for a trifling commission, or for the custom it brings him. Stations of the other class are also reading rooms, established with a single attendant, in some rented apartment, and containing a few periodicals and a few reference books for readers. In either case, the process of obtaining books through the delivery station is the same. The borrower leaves his library card at the station, with a list of books, some one of which he wishes to obtain. Every morning an express wagon makes the round of these stations and gathers up these cards and book-calls (with the returned books), and every afternoon it makes a second round, to deliver at the stations the books which the library is able to send in response.

Better than the stations, of course, are the more expensive branch libraries, which some cities establish here and there, containing small independent collections of books, from which borrowers can draw, as well as from the main store.

Another valuable agency of book distribution is found in the small movable and exchangeable collections of books called "travelling libraries," which are sent out to schools, orphanages, reformatories, reading clubs, large workshops, and many kinds of institutions and organizations, and changed periodically, once in three or six months.

Finally, as to the probable cost for yearly maintenance of the free library for Buffalo, contemplated in the arrangement now proposed:

Under its present conditions, the administrative expenses of the Buffalo Library for the year which ended in February, 1896 (exclusive of heating, lighting and janitorship, the cost of which is covered by expenditures stated above), were as follows:

Salaries,	$8,607.12
Books and periodicals,	5,775.51
Binding,	1,779.36
Miscellaneous,	1,671.19
Total,	$17,833.11

Obviously the expense of the Library will be more than doubled by the demands made on it if it becomes free. The following is a careful estimate of the added expenditures that will be made necessary by the change, if neither branches nor delivery stations are provided for:

Salaries,	$10,000.00
Books andperiodicals,	7,000.00
Binding,	1,500.00
Printing,	2,000.00
Miscellaneous,	1,500.00
Total,	$22,000.00

In round numbers, this calls for $40,000 per annum to maintain the free library at its highest efficiency, without stations or branches, but providing for a system of traveling libraries, and for active work through the schools.

Estimating from the experience of other cities, it would be possible to establish, say, ten mere delivery stations, at drug stores and the like, with daily wagon delivery, at a cost not exceeding $500 per year for each station.

Or it would be possible to open reading-rooms and delivery stations in rented quarters, with one attendant each, and with a few periodicals and reference books for readers, at an average cost not exceeding $1,200 each. For the maintenance of branch libraries in small rented dwelling houses, or rented rooms in business blocks, with small permanent collections of books — beginning, say, with 2,000 — the cost of maintenance would probably be $5,000 to $6,000 each.

Toward whatever appropriation may be made for the support of the Buffalo Library, there will be a return to the public treasury of about

$17,000 from the new taxation of the Iroquois Hotel property; while the $4,000 now inadequately paid to the support of the Grosvenor is to be subtracted from the provision contemplated in the above.

All of which is most respectfully submitted.

EDGAR B. JEWETT,
Mayor.
NATHANIEL W. NORTON,
Chairman.
J. N. LARNED,
Secretary.

DANIEL H. MCMILLAN,
JAMES MOONEY,
R. B. ADAM,
MICHAEL J. BYRNE,
JAMES ASH,
HENRY ZIPP,
JAMES FRASER GLUCK,

HENRY P. EMERSON,
Superintendent of Education.

GEORGE GORHAM,
FRANK MAISCHOSS,
ADAM BOECKEL,
WILLIAM SUMMERS,
MARK S. HUBBELL.

The following is the draft submitted of an act to be proposed to the Legislature:

AN ACT to amend chapter forty-seven of the laws of eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, entitled "An act to incorporate the Young Men's Association of the city of Buffalo," as amended by chapter three hundred and ninety-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-six, in relation to a free public library in the city of Buffalo, and to authorize appropriations therefor.

The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1.— Section two of chapter forty-seven, of the laws of eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, entitled, "An act to incorporate the Young Men's Association of the city of Buffalo," as amended by

chapter three hundred and ninety-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-six, is hereby amended to read as follows:

§ 2.—The Buffalo Library, of the city of Buffalo, is authorized, whenever a majority of the votes cast by its members at a meeting called for that purpose shall approve thereof, to transfer to the city of Buffalo in trust, for the use and benefit of the residents of said city, all of the printed bound books and pamphlets constituting its circulating library, upon such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by contract between the Buffalo Library and the city of Buffalo.

§ 2.—Section three of said act, as amended by chapter three hundred ninety-three of the laws of eighteen hundred and eighty-six, is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

§ 3.—The city of Buffalo is authorized to accept from the Buffalo Library, all the printed bound books and pamphlets constituting its circulating library, in trust, for the use and benefit of the residents of the city of Buffalo, and to make all necessary appropriations for the care, management, maintenance, increase, and extension of said printed bound books and pamphlets, and for all expenses incident to the proper care, maintenance, management, and equipment of a public library and reading rooms, and by its mayor to enter into a contract, sub-contract, renewal, or modification of a contract with the Buffalo Library, the terms and conditions of which shall first be approved by a majority vote of each body of the Common Council of said city for the acceptance, management, care, maintenance, increase, distribution, and extension thereof, and the proper care, maintenance, management, and equipment of a public library and reading rooms.

§ 3.—The life members of the Buffalo Library, immediately upon the execution of the contract hereinbefore provided for in section two, shall hereafter have the power of perpetual succession, and they and their successors shall constitute a corporation known as the Buffalo Library, and shall have sole control and management of the real estate and property of the Buffalo Library, and shall annually thereafter hold an election, at which shall be elected a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and three managers, which said officers when elected, shall forthwith become and constitute the trustees of said Buffalo Library, and shall have and may exercise all the powers now vested in the officers, directors, curators, and board of real estate of the Buffalo Library, and with full power to sell and convey any real estate of said Buffalo Library, except the library building and the block on which said library building is located, and to make and

adopt by-laws prescribing the duties of the officers and members of the said corporation and for the government thereof.

§ 4.—The Common Council of the city of Buffalo is authorized to make all necessary appropriations for the care, management, maintenance, increase, and extension of the Grosvenor Library, the free public reference library of the city of Buffalo, and for all expenses incident to the proper care, management, maintenance, increase, extension, and equipment of said Grosvenor Library and its library building, subject to the limitation hereinafter provided.

§ 5.—The Common Council of the city of Buffalo, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, is authorized to raise annually as a part of the general annual tax, a sum not less than three one hundredths of one per centum, and not more than five one hundredths of one per centum of the total taxable assessed valuation of the property of the city of Buffalo. One-fifth of said amount shall be paid to the trustees of the Grosvenor Library for the purposes of said library as hereinbefore specified, and four-fifths of said amount shall be paid to the trustees, who, by the terms of the contract between said Buffalo Library and the city of Buffalo, as hereinbefore provided in section two, shall have the control and management of the said printed bound books and pamphlets constituting the circulating library aforesaid.

§ 6.—All acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act as hereby amended, are hereby repealed so far as they are inconsistent herewith.

§ 7.—This act shall take effect immediately.

I approve,

Approved as to its form, EDGAR B. JEWETT.

CHARLES L. FELDMAN,
Corporation Counsel.

The action of the Board of Aldermen, as set forth in the official report of proceedings, was as follows:

Alderman Maischoss moved the adoption of the report.

Alderman Durr moved that it be laid upon the table for one week.

Lost.

Ayes—Aldermen Bradish, Durr, Heerwagen, Kick, Schaefer, Veling, Woltz, Zoeller — 8.

Noes—Aldermen Boeckel, Caldwell, Coe, Coughlin, Franklin, Kennedy, Kiefer, Kissinger, Maischoss, Menge, Smith, Smither, Sullivan, Summers, Walsh — 15.

The question was now taken on the adoption of the report.

Adopted.

Ayes—Aldermen Boeckel, Bradish, Caldwell, Coe, Coughlin, Franklin, Heerwagen, Kennedy, Kick, Kiefer, Kissinger, Maischoss, Menge, Schaefer, Smith, Smither, Sullivan, Summers, Veling, Walsh, Zoeller —21.

Noes — Aldermen Durr, Woltz — 2.

At the meeting of the Board of Councilmen on the following Wednesday, January 20, the report was presented and adopted by a unanimous vote. Approved by the Mayor the same day, the recommended bill was placed immediately in the hands of the Senators and Members of Assembly from this city, and was introduced in both houses of the Legislature without delay. It passed the Assembly on the 3d of February, and the Senate on the 4th.

Returned to the Mayor for indorsement, in compliance with the provisions of the Constitution, a public hearing upon it was announced for the afternoon of Wednesday, February 10. No person appearing in opposition, the act received the approval of the Chief Magistrate of the city that day, and was signed by the Governor of the State on Saturday, the 13th.

Meantime, the Board of Aldermen, on the 20th of January, and the Board of Councilmen, on the 27th, had taken action in the matter of arranging details of the contract to be entered into between the City of Buffalo and the Buffalo Library, by appointing committees of five from each to confer further with the committee acting on behalf of the Library. The committees were constituted as follows:

Aldermen—Maischoss, Boeckel, Smither, Summers, Kissinger.

Councilmen—Klinck, Zipp, Ash, Utley, Keller.

A meeting of the joint committees was held on Friday, January 29, there being present Councilmen Klinck and Zipp; Aldermen

Kissinger and Boeckel; the Superintendent of Education, Mr. Emerson; Messrs. Norton, McMillan and Mooney.

Mr. Norton was again made chairman, and Mr. Larned secretary.

Informal discussion resulted:

1. In the unanimous adoption of a resolution offered by Mr. McMillan, that the city and the Library have equal representation on the Board of Trustees, to consist of five each; those on the part of the city to consist of the Mayor, the Superintendent of Education, the Corporation Counsel, and two citizens of Buffalo, to be appointed by the Mayor, for a term of five years each after the first appointment, which shall be made for terms of three and five years respectively.

2. In agreement that the term of the contract be ninety-nine years.

3. In agreement that the name of the free library to be created by the contract shall be the Buffalo Public Library.

On motion of Mr. Mooney, the formulation of the contemplated contract was referred to a sub-committee, consisting of Aldermen Kissinger, Smither and Boeckel; Councilmen Klinck and Zipp; Messrs. Norton, McMillan and Larned.

The committee adjourned subject to the call of the chairman, and was assembled on the following Thursday, February 4, when the following members were present: Messrs. Norton and McMillan; Aldermen Boeckel, Smither and Kissinger; Councilmen Zipp and Klinck, with the Secretary.

Details of the contract were determined in the following particulars:

That funds for the maintenance of the Library derived from the city should be drawn quarterly from the city treasury, and accounts of the Library paid on warrants of the Board of Trustees by its own treasurer.

That the Board of Trustees should be restrained from incurring any indebtedness beyond the estimates fixed by the Common Council.

That the two trustees appointed by the Mayor should not be life members of the Buffalo Library.

The final drafting of the contract was then referred to Messrs. Norton, McMillan and the Corporation Counsel, and the draft prepared by those gentlemen was reported to the Board of Aldermen on Monday, February 14, and referred to its Finance Committee. On Saturday, the 20th, the contract was considered in committee, and received some slight amendments, after which the committee resolved, by unanimous vote, that it be reported to the Board of Aldermen, and its approval by the Common Council and execution by the Mayor recommended.

The following is the draft of contract thus approved:

THIS AGREEMENT made this twenty-fourth day of February, 1897, by and between the Buffalo Library of the City of Buffalo, in the County of Erie and State of New York, a corporation duly organized and existing under and by virtue of the Laws of the State of New York, party of the first part, and the City of Buffalo a municipality in the County and State aforesaid, party of the second part.

WITNESSETH: That by virtue of the power conferred upon the parties hereto by Chapter 16 of the Laws of the State of New York, for the year 1897, and in consideration of the mutual promises and agreements of the parties hereto, each with the other respectively, as hereinafter set forth, it is agreed by and between the said parties as follows.

First. The party of the first part, The Buffalo Library, does hereby assign, transfer and set over to the party of the second part, The City of Buffalo, in trust, for the period of ninety-nine years from the date hereof, for the purpose of establishing a free, public circulating and reference library, for the use and benefit of the citizens of Buffalo, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter specified, all and singular the printed bound books and pamphlets constituting the circulating and reference library of the said party of the first part, consisting of upwards of eighty-four thousand volumes of printed bound books and ten thousand pamphlets, the property of the said party of the first part, and now on the shelves of The Buffalo Library on the square bounded by Broadway, Washington, Clinton and Ellicott Streets in the said City of Buffalo, and of the estimated value of the sum of one hundred and sixty thousand dollars, and will also pay over

to the directors of The Buffalo Public Library as hereinafter provided, for the use and benefit of said library, all the net income which the said party of the first part may derive from property which it now has or may hereafter acquire, either by bequest or otherwise, reserving, however, the right to dispose of any real estate which it now has, excepting the square above described, upon which the library building is situate; the proceeds from such sale to be used, in the first instance, in the discharge of liens, incumbrances or debts of The Buffalo Library outstanding at the time of such sale, and the residue thereof to be invested in some safe and permanent security, the income from which shall be devoted to the use and benefit of The Buffalo Public Library.

Second. The party of the second part hereby accepts from the party of the first part all and singular the printed bound books and pamphlets constituting the circulating and reference library of the said party of the first part, in trust, for a period of ninety-nine years from the date hereof, for the purposes described and limited in the first paragraph of this agreement, and in consideration of said transfer by said party of the first part of its circulating and reference library to the party of the second part, as hereinbefore specified, the said party of the second part hereby covenants and agrees to maintain in said City of Buffalo for a period of ninety-nine years from the date hereof, a free, public circulating and reference library for the use and benefit of the citizens of Buffalo, and to annually appropriate, assess, levy, collect, and pay over to the directors hereinafter provided for, for the care, management, maintenance, increase, extension, repairs, improvement and equipment of a library and reading rooms, a sum of not less than four-fifths of three-one-hundredths of one per centum of the total taxable assessed valuation, as made from year to year, of the property in the City of Buffalo.

Third. Upon the execution of this instrument, by the parties hereto, the said printed bound books and pamphlets, together with all additions thereto which may be made from time to time, shall be thereafter known and designated by the name of The Buffalo Public Library.

Fourth. The control and management of The Buffalo Public Library and of all moneys appropriated by the City of Buffalo for the care, maintenance, management and equipment of said library, and of the increase and extension thereof, and of all income of property derived from every source whatsoever, shall be vested in a board of ten directors, to consist of the following persons, to wit: The Presi-

dent, Vice-President and the three managers of The Buffalo Library; the Mayor, the Corporation Counsel and the Superintendent of Education of the City of Buffalo, who shall be ex-officio members of said board of directors and two citizens of the City of Buffalo, not life members of The Buffalo Library, to be appointed by the Mayor of said City within ten days after the execution of this agreement, for the term of five years, except that in the first appointment one of said two directors shall be designated for a term of five years and the other for a term of three years, and all vacancies which shall occur thereafter by the expiration of a full term of five years shall be filled forthwith by appointment of the Mayor for a full term of five years; all other vacancies in the office of said two directors shall be filled by appointment of the Mayor for the unexpired term only.

Fifth. The said board of directors shall have full power and control in the care, management, maintenance, increase and extension of said printed bound books and pamphlets constituting the said The Buffalo Public Library, and may incur all necessary expenses incident to the procurement, care, maintenance, management, extension and equipment of a public library and reading rooms, and to do all things necessary thereto, and to make all purchases, repairs and improvements necessary to keep and maintain the said The Buffalo Public Library up to the standard of a first-class free, public distributing and reference library, and to establish and maintain, from time to time as the means at their command will permit, such distributing stations, circulating libraries and district libraries in the City of Buffalo, as, in their judgment, shall best subserve the public interests, subject only to the limitation that they shall contract no indebtedness in any fiscal year which shall be in excess of the annual income of said library from all sources, including the appropriation by the City of Buffalo, for the use and benefit of the said The Buffalo Public Library, for such year, nor shall said board of directors hypothecate or in any manner encumber any of the property of the said The Buffalo Public Library.

Sixth. The said The Buffalo Public Library shall be a free, public circulating and reference library for the use and benefit of the residents of the City of Buffalo, subject, however, to such rules and regulations as may be made by the board of directors for the management thereof, and shall be open for the free access of the public not less than ten hours on Sundays and legal holidays and not less than twelve hours on all other days.

Seventh. The net income derived from all sources by The Buffalo Library shall be turned over quarterly, from the date of this agreement, to the board of directors of The Buffalo Public Library.

Eighth. The annual appropriation made by the City of Buffalo, as hereinbefore provided for the use and benefit of The Buffalo Public Library shall be paid over quarterly, from the date of this agreement, to the board of directors of The Buffalo Public Library.

Ninth. The board of directors of The Buffalo Public Library shall annually, hereafter, during the continuance of this agreement, and on or before the first Monday of February in each year, make and transmit to the Common Council of the City of Buffalo an annual, detailed, financial statement showing all expenditures made by said board, and the purposes for which made, during the year ending the 31st day of December previous thereto, together with a report showing the property and condition of The Buffalo Public Library at such time.

Tenth. The board of directors, hereinbefore provided for, shall meet on the third Monday of March, 1897, at 12 o'clock noon, and organize by the adoption of by-laws for the governing of said board and by the election of officers, who shall consist of a president, vice-president and executive committee of three members of said board, and shall annually meet thereafter on the third Monday of March and shall elect officers as specified herein, for the ensuing year; seven directors shall be necessary to constitute a quorum, and five affirmative votes shall be necessary for the adoption of any resolution.

Eleventh. Upon the expiration of the term for which this agreement is made, the same may be renewed at the option of the party of the second part, or a new agreement entered into between the parties hereto, otherwise the property and accumulations of The Buffalo Public Library shall vest in The Buffalo Library, in trust, for the use and benefit of the Citizens of Buffalo.

Twelfth. A certified copy of the resolutions adopted by the members of The Buffalo Library authorizing the execution of this agreement and a certified copy of the resolution adopted by the Common Council of the City of Buffalo, together with the approval thereof by the Mayor, shall be annexed to and form a part of this agreement; and this agreement shall be made and executed in triplicate, one part of which shall be filed and recorded in the Erie County Clerk's Office, one part shall be filed and recorded in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Buffalo and shall be printed in the Common Council proceedings of said city, and one part shall be filed with the records of

The Buffalo Library, and shall be published with the annual report of said library.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the said parties hereto have each caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed, and this Indenture to be subscribed, The Buffalo Library by its President and Secretary, and the City of Buffalo by its Mayor the day and year first above written.

There seems to be no doubt that the few steps now required for the completion of the agreement will be promptly taken.

NATHANIEL W. NORTON,
Chairman.

MEMBERSHIP.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

The Committee on Membership respectfully presents the following statistics of Membership:

Annual members reported Feb. 1, 1896,		1,672
Annual members added, 1896,		657
		2,329
Annual members resigned,	465	
Members dropped for absence and non-payment,	266	
Members deceased,	6	737
Total annual members,		1,592
Life members reported February 1, 1896,	1,148	
Life members added, 1896,	1	
	1,149	
Life members deceased,	18	1,131
Honorary members,		23
		2,746

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE L. WILLIAMS,
Chairman.

DONATIONS.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

Among the gifts of the past year is one so splendid that it stands conspicuous in the history of the Buffalo Library. It is that received from Mrs. Agnes Demarest, who has fulfilled the wish of her late husband, Mr. James Demarest, by causing to be

paid to the Library from his estate the great sum of $20,000. This sum has been duly placed for investment in our permanent Library fund, where it will lastingly commemorate a generosity nobly shared between the living and the dead.

Another most noteworthy gift is that of the fine bust of Robert Burns, executed in marble by Mr. August A. Langenbahn, and presented with suitable ceremonies to the Library by the St. Andrew's Society of Buffalo, on the evening of St. Andrew's Day, the 30th of November last.

Other gifts to the Library during the past year include 551 volumes and 485 pamphlets, many of the volumes given being duplicates of books already in the Library, and not required for use, though frequently of value for exchange. The gifts are described in the appended list, to which reference is made for information in detail.

Respectfully submitted,

H. T. RAMSDELL,
Chairman.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

Your Committee on Newspapers and Periodicals begs to submit the following classified statement of newspapers and periodicals which have been kept upon the files and have been available in the reading-room during the past year:

The expenditure for newspapers and other periodicals in the last year was $595.12. The total number on file has been 241, as follows:

Daily newspapers,	19
Weekly newspapers,	52
Fortnightlies,	6
Monthlies,	116
Bi-monthlies,	11
Quarterlies,	29
Occasionals,	8
	241

Of the 241 periodicals received, 67 are gifts. The number bound up for permanent preservation is 190.

This branch of the Library work is important, and its facilities have been accepted by an increasing number of the citizens of Buffalo.

Respectfully submitted,

WORTHINGTON C. MINER,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF REAL ESTATE.

To the Members of The Buffalo Library:

During the past year it has been found necessary, in the judgment of your Board of Real Estate, to expend a much larger sum than usual on the Library Building. It may be said to have suffered neglect, not carelessly, but through force of circumstances, for several previous years, demands for expenditure on the other property of the Library having left little revenue that could be applied to its improvement or repair. An accumulation of needs in the building and about it had, in consequence, become pressing, and the Board could no longer refuse attention to them.

Perhaps first in importance came the need of an improvement in the ventilation of the Library rooms. This has been in some measure accomplished by converting an unused hoist-way into an air-shaft, carrying it up through the roof and heating it with steam coils to produce a draft. The result has proved quite satisfactory so far as it goes, and the air in the main room is distinctly purer than before; but much remains to be done before the Library is generally ventilated as it ought to be for the comfort of readers and the health of those employed in it. The cost of ventilating improvement introduced was only $374.57.

Another improvement much needed has been the construction of a new toilet-room for women on the second floor, releasing the inadequate original room to the use of children, in connection with the children's reading-room on that floor. This was done at an expense of $463.06.

An enlargement of the iron stacks in which bound volumes of newspapers are shelved had become necessary, and was put in at a cost of $450.

The roof of the entire building, which had long required thorough treatment, has been completely repaired, under contract, for the sum of $764, with a guarantee for keeping it in perfect condition during the term of five years.

The roof of the boiler-house on Ellicott Street, and that of the old Court House building have likewise been put in thorough repair, the former work costing $173.40, and the latter $285.

The cement floors in the areas on both sides of the building had become much broken, and injury to its foundations was being caused by the water which penetrated them. They have accordingly been relaid with a more durable material, under a guarantee for five years, costing $300.

By an expenditure of $62 the protection of an asphalt covering has been given to a portion of brick wall at the easterly end of the Clinton Street wing, which was being injured by the bank of earth that rests against it.

It was found that the exterior doors of the building, with their frames, and the sash and framing of the windows, had become badly weather worn, and we have caused them to be repainted and reputtied throughout.

Six openings with scuttles have been made in parts of the roof of the Library building, which were nearly inaccessible to workmen or inspectors before.

The most extensive undertaking in the building has been that of changing the steam heating system in the Art Gallery. The need for this change was of long standing. By a combination of steam coils, suspended from the ceiling with radiators on the floor, the heating of the Gallery has been greatly improved, and a constant expenditure for repairs, caused by rusting and leakage of the coils formerly used, has been stopped. This work was executed under contract for $956.77, with an additional expenditure of $103.09 for wood-work changes made necessary by it.

Minor improvements to be mentioned are the placing of a large bronze plate on the face of the entrance porch, with the name of

"*The Buffalo Library*" plainly lettered upon it, and the erection of a flag-staff above the same porch.

As the result of the work thus executed since our last report, and which we have thought it best to describe in some detail, the library building is now, except as noted, in thoroughly good condition throughout, as it ought to be on the eve of the new arrangement which transfers the occupancy and use of it to the City of Buffalo.

Within the past month a sanitary inspection of the building has been carefully made under direction of the Board of Health, and the certificate of the Board has been given, approving all recent improvements, but criticising, without condemning, some features of the older plumbing work. Future attention must be given to these criticisms.

While the library building has rightly claimed this past year the more serious care of your Board, the hotel building has not suffered neglect. The whole exterior brick work and stone work, and the brick work of the courts, were cleaned, painted and pointed last summer at a cost of $943; and various lesser repairs have been directed in accordance with the terms of the lease.

Insurance on the hotel building has been reduced from $370,000 to $300,000, which seems to be the extreme limit of risk, while an insurance on rents has been placed to the amount of $60,000.

The lease of the Old Court House building to the city for school purposes has been renewed for six months at the former rental of $2,100 per year, which is inclusive of the heating by steam.

In conclusion, this Board, which soon, by the operation of the recent act, will pass out of existence, may properly say a word bearing testimony to the harmony of the relations which have existed between the Board of Managers and itself. No question of any nature has interrupted the cordiality of the co-operation of one board with the other, and the fact appears to be worthy of record at this time, when the organization of the Library is about to undergo its great change.

HERBERT P. BISSELL,
Chairman.

REPORT OF THE INSPECTORS OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned, duly appointed inspectors for the election of Officers and Directors of the Buffalo Library, held in the Library Building on Tuesday, the 9th day of February, A. D., 1897, do hereby certify that at the said election the following named persons received, severally, the number of votes set opposite their respective names, namely:

Nathaniel W. Norton, for President,	107
William P. Reed, for Treasurer,	60
Martin Clark, for Treasurer,	47
Frederic Almy, for Curator,	42
John B. Olmsted, for Curator,	64
William Nichols, for Manager,	45
Carleton Sprague, for Manager,	62
William C. Warren, for Manager,	45
Henry A. Bull, for Manager,	60
William H. Glenny, for Manager,	61
Robert C. Rogers, for Manager,	59
Charles P. Norton, for Manager,	62
William B. Wright, Jr., for Manager,	53
George V. Forman, for Real Estate Commissioner,	40
George B. Hayes, for Real Estate Commissioner,	21

And we further certify that the persons hereinafter named, having received a majority of all the votes cast for the several offices to which they were respectively named, were duly elected to fill said offices, namely:

President,	NATHANIEL W. NORTON.
Treasurer,	WILLIAM P. REED.
Curator,	JOHN B. OLMSTED.
Managers,	CHARLES P. NORTON, CARLETON SPRAGUE, WILLIAM H. GLENNY, HENRY ADSIT BULL.
Real Estate Commissioner,	GEORGE V. FORMAN.

HENRY BULL,
CHARLES R. WILSON,
SEWARD A. SIMONS. } *Inspectors.*

ADDRESS OF THE RETIRING PRESIDENT.

In the absence of the retiring President, Hon. T. Guilford Smith, a resolution was adopted requesting Mr. Smith to furnish for publication the address which he had expected to deliver on the occasion. Complying with the request, Mr. Smith has supplied his remarks in manuscript, as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen, Fellow-members of The Buffalo Library:

We are met here to-night for the purpose of seeing what has been accomplished by the outgoing President and Boards of Direction during the past year, to look over the work somewhat in detail and see how near we are to carrying out the hopes expressed at the time that we had the pleasure of meeting together just one year ago.

First, let me say that both the Board of Real Estate and the Board of Managers have met with their usual regularity during the past year and have been able to accomplish much, which is a subject for congratulation. I will call your attention to-night to one or two of the more important things which have been done, and especially to the fact that we are now a free public library.

REPAIRS TO THE HOTEL AND LIBRARY PROPERTIES.

The efforts of the Board of Real Estate have been directed to carrying out the provisions of the lease of the Iroquois Hotel so far as the repairs to that property are concerned. The hotel is in excellent condition, all the repairs required having been made, at an expenditure of $1,100.77, as compared with an expenditure of $681.46 last year. The Board would have been glad to have been more liberal in dealing with the lessees of the hotel property had money been more plenty; but as strict economy had to be consulted in every case, only such repairs were made as were strictly within the provisions of the lease.

In this connection, I would say, that in my opinion the sale of the Iroquois Hotel property in the near future is desirable, and I would recommend it whenever responsible bids can be obtained at a satisfactory price.

In regard to the Library Building, the Board found that many of the repairs would not admit of further delay, and fortunately found the means on hand to pay those which the exigencies of the case demanded. I am glad to say to you now that the building is in better repair than it has been since it was thrown open to the public ten years ago. Not only have the most important matters been attended to, such as the roof, etc., but also other equally important, but often deferred, such as improvements in ventilation. While much remains to be done in the way of still further improvement in this respect, yet to-day the Library Reading-Room and the parts most frequented by the public are healthier than they have been for a long time before, and this has been accomplished at an expenditure of $374.57. I would recommend that further improvements in ventilation be considered by the incoming board, which will be the more necessary, now that the Library has been made free. The other repairs to the Library Building, which are given in detail in the report of the Real Estate Board, make up a grand total of $6,609.20.

CHILDREN'S READING-ROOM.

I now come to the first subject for congratulation, and which was alluded to in my inaugural address last year as a matter we hoped to accomplish. That is, the opening of the Children's Reading-Room, which took place on the 29th of last June, and has from that time to this been a source of joy to a very large number of children. The detailed report shows the average number of visitors, which during the month of July only amounted to 40 daily, but which soon increased as the children were made aware that the room was opened. The month of August raised the average attendance to 99, with the highest in any one day of 245. In September the room was first opened on

Sunday afternoons, which proved a most popular movement, making Sunday almost as largely frequented as Saturday, which before that was the banner day. You will thus see that success has attended the efforts of this Library Company to open its treasures to the children.

The success of this movement is due, in a great measure, to the fortunate selection of Miss Fernald as the attendant. She has been able to give her attention not only to the matter of giving out of books, etc., but to bring to bear upon the many children those gentle influences which count beyond all else in making the Children's Reading-Room so valuable. She seems to be peculiarly fitted to do this, which is shown by the fact that, although this reading-room has been opened to all children of both sexes without restriction of any kind, yet she has found little difficulty in controlling them, even when the crowds have reached seven or eight hundred at one time, as they have done on several occasions.

With a view of making the Children's Reading-Room more attractive, application was made to the Regents of the University of the State of New York for a Travelling Library of books especially selected for children's use. This was obtained, and enabled us to lend the children books to read at home, for which almost an immediate demand was made as soon as the reading-room was opened. Now that the Library has become free, the necessity for this Travelling Library will be obviated, and the children will be able to obtain books for home reading quite as freely as their elders. Provision for suitable books for children will be one of the matters requiring early attention from the Superintendent and the incoming board.

FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

This brings us to really the crowning work of the year, which is so well known to you now by the steps that have already been taken by the Board of Managers, and by its Law Committee, and by other citizens, all duly given to the public by the newspapers

in their very full daily reports. Thanks to their hearty co-operation, which has never failed us, there seemed to be but one voice in this community in favor of a free library. All the requisite steps necessary to make it so have been taken carefully and judiciously. The necessary authority has been obtained from the State Legislature, and the contract with the city will be completed as provided for by the act. This will enable the City of Buffalo to obtain a library building worthy of it, valued, with the land, at not less than $550,000, together with a collection of books of 85,000 volumes, to say nothing of the printed pamphlets, maps, engravings, etc., which are worth $160,000 more.

We can all feel, therefore, that Buffalo has joined with her sister cities east and west of us in this popular movement for education, and that we have behind us the hearty good-will of all our citizens in this movement. This fortunate outcome has been the result of a law passed last year by the Legislature, by which the property of the Buffalo Library would be taxed where not occupied for its own purposes. This gave your Boards of Direction great uneasiness as soon as it became a law, but it has really been a blessing in disguise, although not so recognized at first. In fact, 1896 having been the year of the Presidential election, and also, unfortunately, one of great business depression, we would hardly have dared to push a free public library scheme, had we not been driven to it by the spur of necessity, which meant that we must either shut the Library up or open it as a free public library, supported at public expense.

There can hardly be any limitation, except in the matter of appropriations, as to what can be accomplishhd in any community with a free public library. I will not dwell to-night upon all the schemes which at once suggest themselves, some of which were adverted to in my inaugural address last year, such as the distribution of Travelling Libraries through the city, the establishment of branch libraries, etc. As soon as the first stages of adjusting the Library to the new conditions have been accomplished, I have no doubt that these matters will be subject of

earnest consideration by Superintendent Larned and the incoming board. These, however, together with the necessary increased accommodation for reading, study, taking in and giving out of books, etc., are matters which we leave to our successors in office, who, no doubt, will meet them successfully.

DONATIONS.

The usual report, showing in detail donations to the Library, will be found in this report, but I cannot let this opportunity go by without expressing the sense of gratitude which we all feel for the gift received from the estate of the late James F. Demarest, amounting to $20,000, and which was paid over by Mrs. Agnes Demarest in the early part of the year. This substantial remembrance of the Library, the income of which is to be devoted to the purchase of books, has been of great assistance during the year just closed. The fact that the Library has become free, and passed into the hands of the city, will not preclude, we hope, further benefactions from other benevolent and public spirited citizens.

In this connection, I would like to place on record also the gift to the Library by the St. Andrew's Scottish Society of the bust of Robert Burns, which was unveiled with appropriate ceremonies on St. Andrew's Day. This was not only a fitting and proper gift in itself, but was such an evidence of interest on the part of our Scotch fellow-citizens that I particularly call attention to it, hoping that the example may be emulated by others.

It is with peculiar pleasure that we wish to record the fact that the whole free library movement has the hearty co-operation of the Grosvenor Library, through its Trustees, Mr. James Fraser Gluck and Mr. E. H. Butler, who were of great service in assisting us to carry this movement to completion and success. We also had the valuable assistance of Mr. George Gorham, of Mr. James Mooney and Mr. R. B. Adam, who acted with our Law Committee, and its Chairman, Mr. N. W. Norton, who is now

our President, and ex-Senator D. H. McMillan, a former president, in bringing this to a successful issue.

This is also true of His Honor, the Mayor; the City Clerk, Corporation Council, the Superintendent of Education and the members of both branches of the Common Council, as well as the Senators and Assemblymen from this city, and particularly the Hon. Henry W. Hill, who introduced the bill, and Senator Lamy, who advanced it in every possible way in its passage through the Legislature.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT-ELECT.

The President-elect, Mr. Nathaniel W. Norton, on taking the chair, spoke as follows:

Ladies and Gentlemen, Friends and Members of The Buffalo Library:

We meet this evening, under peculiarly interesting and hopeful conditions concerning The Buffalo Library, to express our high appreciation of the thoroughly progressive administration of our retiring President and his associates, whose work in behalf of this institution has always been wise, prudent and effective for the largest development of its highest aims.

Every friend of The Buffalo Library is much encouraged at the prospect of its becoming free, with an income sufficient to enable it to extend its usefulness in many directions not open to it in the past, by reason of its lack of funds.

If at any time some of the patrons of the Library have thought it was not accomplishing all the good it ought, let them stop and take account of the means we have had at our command.

If any have thought to criticise the Library because it has not possessed all the new and really valuable books which many other libraries have, let such be mindful that the Library has been limited in its funds, not only for the purchase of books, but for the efficient administration of its affairs in general.

The officers and those especially interested in the Library have always striven to improve and increase all its facilities. In this connection it may be well for us to recall some figures showing the available resources of the Library for the purchase of books:

In 1890 there was expended for books $2,488.28; in 1891, $2,560.09; in 1892, $2,280.54; in 1893, $2,374.32; in 1894, $3.725.45; in 1895, $5,066.24; in 1896, $5,269.61, and in 1897, about $5,200, making a sum total in eight years of about $29,000 expended by The Buffalo Library in the purchase of books, being an average of only about $3,600 a year.

This sum compared with that spent by the Boston Public and many other libraries for the same period is so trifling that we blush at the comparison and wonder that Buffalo has done so much on so small an allowance.

The Buffalo Library has always made the best use of its mite, and we earnestly hope the same careful purpose will govern and direct its new management, that with its larger income in its broader field it will increase its usefulness and extend and exert all the uplifting and educating influences within its power, even beyond the expectation of its most hopeful friends.

The numerous and ardent champions of the Library have, for a long time, wished to, and have improved its condition, and some of our predecessors in office have been especially anxious that this should be made a free public library, and they have labored assiduously for the attainment of this end; all of whom with us to-night rejoice at the bright prospect of The Buffalo Public Library, which, we may with safety declare, is one of the institutions of which all Buffalonians will be proud.

About one year ago when Chapter 908 of the Laws of 1896, became a law, compelling all libraries and kindred institutions to pay a tax upon any and all of their property not actually occupied by them, from which they derive an income, many of the officers of The Buffalo Library were not a little disheartened and discouraged at the outlook, knowing that if we were obliged to pay the tax out of our present income, the Library would be en-

tirely without means to sustain its management; but at that time some of our associates suggested that this tax law was a good and helpful measure for the Library; that by reason of this very law we should be compelled to do something for the immediate relief of the Library. How truly the latter friends prophesied we now well know.

In the early Autumn of last year the matter of interesting the city in the Library was earnestly taken up by the entire management, and each individual seemed to feel a personal responsibility that the Library be made free, and each labored so diligently for the Buffalo Public Library that we can to-night consider it an accomplished fact.

The efforts of those immediately connected with the Library have been supplemented by the most hearty and effective support of the entire German and English public press of Buffalo, and by the cordial co-operation of our citizens in all parts of the city.

Hearty thanks are due and hereby given to His Honor, Mayor Jewett, for his valuable and prompt action in helping on the enterprise. Likewise we acknowledge the valuable and energetic efforts of the Aldermen and Councilmen of our city, as well as of the Superintendent of Education, City Clerk Hubbell and the Corporation Counsel, to all of whom we extend our thanks for their valuable assistance.

The City of Buffalo may justly take pride in the action of all its officers, and especially in the action of its Board of Aldermen and Councilmen, all of whom have shown a keen appreciation of the needs of the Library, and have, with a wonderful degree of good judgment and discernment, measured the great good this library has already accomplished with its limited means, and estimated the incomparable greater good it will accomplish as a free public library.

Never has there been such an example of civic interest, enthusiasm and pride exhibited in connection with any public enterprise in this fairest of all the fair cities of the lakes as in our united effort to make this a free public library. All our city

officials with whom we have had to do in this undertaking are intensely interested in the Buffalo Library, and during our conferences some of them have expressed surprise that this has not been made free before this time.

The different steps which have been taken toward the free library we here purposely omit, as a full history thereof is contained in the report of the Law Committee, which has been submitted and will be published later.

But it will be of interest to you to know that the contract between the Buffalo Library and the city has been prepared and submitted to the Common Council and referred to the Committee on Finance, which met on Saturday afternoon, the 20th inst., and considered the contract and voted unanimously to recommend its adoption by the Council and its execution by the Mayor. We feel it is quite safe to say that within a few days the contract will be executed, at which time, as provided by our recent enabling act, the present board of officers will all go out of office, and thereupon a new election will be called for the election of the officers provided for under the new law, to wit: A president, a vice-president, secretary, treasurer and three managers, who will hereafter constitute the entire board of officers of the Buffalo Library, all of whom will be elected by the life members.

From this it will be seen that our term of office will be very short. Those of us who were so lately honored by your votes extend to you our thanks and ask you to lend us your active, earnest and cordial assistance in our administration of the affairs of the Library.

There will be a need of many changes in the arrangements and appointments of the Library in the near future, one of which permit me here to suggest to your early consideration. If possible, it would seem desirable to find some place into which to move the newspapers, magazines and periodicals, and it has been suggested that a commodious reading-room could be fitted up in some of the rooms in the Old Court House, into which the

newspapers could be transferred. This would, in a large measure, clear the way for other and much needed changes. The rooms of the children, all the rooms now occupied by the School of Pedagogy and the present directors'-room in connection, the rooms next to directors', now used by the directors, thus giving them this whole continuous space, arranging it so as to best meet the needs of the children; thus vacating the lecture-room now used by the children and leaving it for the reviews, magazines and the better class of periodical literature and, perhaps, in this room we could find a place for the proper display of the very valuable Gluck collection of manuscript books and papers. In this way we could make room for the Study in the present periodical-room, where it would be comfortably accommodated. By these changes we could make the present Study available for a proper display, examination and use of the new books and popular literature. Probably the only difficulty which would be found in this arrangement would be that the room is too small to properly accommodate the public; but at the present time this seems to be the best arrangement procurable at the least expense and trouble. All these rooms should be tastefully and properly fitted up, so as to afford an attractive, comfortable and convenient use of the books. Let there be such changes made as will render the Library the most popular institution in Buffalo, that it may accomplish the greatest good to the greatest number.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

The President stated that standing committees for the ensuing year would be announced later. [As subsequently announced they are given on page 4.]

On motion, two thousand five hundred copies of the Annual Report were ordered to be printed for distribution.

The meeting, on motion, then adjourned.

APPENDIX.

GIFTS.

Books and Pamphlets.

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Aberdeen (England) Public Library,	...	1
Aguilar Free Library Society,	...	1
Alfred University,	...	1
Allen, Mrs. Margaret, Madison, Wis.,	1	...
Almy, Francis,	1	...
Alward, Mrs. Emily B.,	18	...
American Academy of Political and Social Science,	...	1
American Association for the Advancement of Science,	1	...
American Baptist Home Mission Society,	...	1
American Conference on International Arbitration, Committee of,	1	...
American Congregational Association,	...	1
American Humane Association,	...	1
American Philosophical Society,	3	1
American Type-Founders' Company,	1	1
Apprentices' Library Company, Philadelphia,	...	1
Armour Institute of Technology, Chicago,	...	1
Art Students' League,	...	2
Arundel Society,	...	1
Astor Library,	2	...
Atkinson, Edward, Boston,	1	...
Balch, Thomas Willing, Philadelphia,	2	...
Becker, Hon. Philip,	1	...
Bingham, Hon. Henry, Littleton, N. H.,	...	1
Bixby, J. M.,	1	...
Bolton, C. K., Brookline, Mass.,	...	1
Boston Children's Aid Society,	...	1
Boston Public Library,	...	1
Boston Record Commissioners,	1	...
Bourinot, J. G., Clerk of the House of Commons, Canada,	21	16
Bowdoin College Library,	...	1
Boyce, C. W., Buffalo,	1	...
Briggs, Horace,	1	...
Brookline (Mass.) Public Library,	...	3
Brooklyn Ethical Association,	...	1
Brooklyn Library,	...	1
Brown, Goodwin, Albany,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Browne, T. B., Limited, London, England,	1	...
Brymner, Douglas, Archivist, Canada,	1	...
Buffalo Association League of American Wheelmen,	1	...
Buffalo Board of Police,	3	...
Buffalo Builders' Association,	1	...
Buffalo Charity Organization Society,	...	5
Buffalo City Clerk,	3	...
Buffalo College of Pharmacy,	...	1
Buffalo Commercial,	11	...
Buffalo Comptroller,	1	...
Buffalo Department of Public Works,	1	...
Buffalo Furnace Company,	...	1
Buffalo General Hospital,	...	1
Buffalo High School,	...	2
Buffalo Historical Society,	...	1
Buffalo Letter Carriers' Benevolent Association,	1	...
Buffalo Park Commissioners,	...	2
Buffalo Savings Bank,	...	1
Buffalo Society of Natural Sciences,	...	1
Buffalo Superintendent of Education,	3	...
Buffalo Superintendent of Police,	1	...
Burton, C. M., Detroit,	...	1
Cambridge (Mass.) School for Girls,	...	1
Canada Department of Agriculture, Archives Branch,	1	...
Carnegie Free Library, Allegheny,	...	1
Catholic Union and Times,	1	...
Charlestown (S. C.) College of,	...	1
Chicago Board of Trade,	1	...
Chicago Civil Service Commission,	1	...
Chicago Manual Training School,	...	1
Chicago Public Library,	...	1
Chico (Cal.) State Normal School,	...	1
Church of Christ, Buffalo,	1	...
Cincinnati Public Library,	1	...
Clerkenwell (London) Public Library,	...	1
Cleveland Public Library,	...	5
Cobden Club,	...	2
Columbia College,	1	3
Concord (Mass.) Free Public Library,	...	1
Cooke, J. P., Boston,	1	...
Cooper Union, New York,	...	1
Crocker, Uriel H.,	1	...
Croll, Ellsworth N.,	...	4
Cruikshank, E.,	...	1
Cushman, Mrs. C. H.,	31	11
Cutler, C. A.,	...	1

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Cutler Manufacturing Company, Rochester,	1	...
Dakin, Mrs. George,	...	2
Daniels, Hon. Charles,	18	1
Dark, Thomas,	6	6
Dartmouth College,	...	1
Dayton (Ohio) Public Library and Museum,	...	1
Democratic National Committee, Indianapolis,	...	15
Denver Public Library,	...	1
Depew, Chauncey M.,	...	2
Detroit Public Library,	...	1
Devereaux, John A.,	1	...
Drexel Institute, Philadelphia,	2	...
Dunlap, Orrin E., Niagara Falls,	...	1
Enoch Pratt Free Public Library, Baltimore,	...	1
Felton, Charles E., Chicago,	...	2
Fernald, Miss H. G.,	1	...
Field Columbian Museum, Chicago,	...	5
Fletcher Free Library, Burlington, Vt.,	...	1
Flint & Kent,	2	...
Franklinville, N. Y., First Presbyterian Sunday-school, primary class,	19	...
Friend of the Library,	9	...
Friends' Free Library, Germantown, Pa.,	...	1
George Junior Republic Association,	...	2
Gloversville Free Library,	...	1
Grand Lodge F. and A. Masons of New York,	...	1
Grand Trunk R. R.,	...	1
Graves, Gen. John C.,	1	...
Green, Samuel S.,	...	2
Hartford Public Library,	...	1
Harvard University,	2	...
Harvard University Library,	...	3
Haviland, Mrs. F.,	11	...
Hierseman, Karl W.,	1	...
Hill, Henry W.,	3	1
Hirschfield, Miss Elizabeth,	...	2
Hoar, Hon. George F.,	...	1
Houck, Miss Clara,	1	...
Howard Association, London,	...	1
Howard Memorial Library, New Orleans,	1	1
Hubbard, Elbert B.,	2	...
Indian Rights Association,	...	2
International Committee, Y. M. C. A.,	...	1
Interstate Commerce Commission,	1	...
Irwell, Lawrence,	...	1
Ives, William,	6	...

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Jamaica Agricultural Society,	...	1
James, Edmund J.,	...	4
Jersey City Free Public Library,	...	1
Jewett, Edgar B.,	...	2
Johns Hopkins University,	...	1
Jones, Rev. W. M.,	5	8
Keidel, George C.,	...	1
King, Gen. Horatio C., Brooklyn,	4	4
Lafayette College,	...	1
Lamy, Hon. Charles,	1	...
Larkin, Mrs. John D.,	1	...
Lawrence Public Library,	...	2
Le Couteulx, St. Mary's Institution, Buffalo,	...	1
Leland Stanford Junior University,	...	4
Library Bureau,	1	...
McCleary, Hon. James T.,	...	1
McCormack, Cyrus H.,	1	...
McCormack Theological Seminary,	...	1
McMillan, Hon. D. H.,	4	...
Mahany, Hon. Rowland B.,	...	1
Malone, Sylvester L., Brooklyn,	2	...
Marvin, Robert N., Jamestown,	1	...
Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics of Labor,	2	...
Massachusetts Free Public Library Commission,	...	3
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,	...	1
Massachusetts Railroad Commissioners,	1	...
Massachusetts State Board of Arbitration,	1	...
Meister, Miss Fanny B.,	...	1
Mercantile Library, New York,	...	1
Michigan State Library,	1	...
Milwaukee Public Library,	1	3
Minneapolis Public Library,	...	1
Missouri Botanical Garden,	1	2
Mott, Rev. Henry Elliott,	1	...
Murphy, Matthew,	1	...
New Bedford Free Public Library,	...	1
New Hampshire Board of Library Commissioners,	1	2
New Haven Free Public Library,	...	2
New Jersey State Geologist,	1	...
New York General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen,	...	2
New York Society Library,	...	1
New York State Bureau of Statistics of Labor,	2	...
New York State Civil Service Commission,	1	...
New York State Commissioners of Fisheries, Game and Forests,	3	...
New York State Commission in Lunacy,	1	1
New York State Department of Insurance,	...	2

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
New York State Factory Inspector,	1	...
New York State Library,	...	1
New York State Secretary of State,	38	...
New York State Superintendent of Public Instruction,	2	...
New York State Reformatory, Elmira, N. Y.,	...	1
New York State Society of Sons of the Revolution,	1	...
New York University,	2	2
New York University Library,	1	...
Newberry Library, Chicago,	...	1
Newell, F. H., United States Geological Survey,	...	1
Newton (Mass.) Free Library,	...	1
Northwestern University,	...	1
Norton, Charles P.,	1	...
Oberlin College Library,	...	1
Ohio State Library,	1	...
Osterhout Free Library, Wilkes-Barre,	1	1
Parish, W. H., Publishing Company, Chicago,	1	...
Paterson (New Jersey) Free Public Library,	...	1
Peabody Institute, Baltimore,	...	3
Pennsylvania College of Dental Surgery,	...	1
Philadelphia Art Club,	1	1
Philadelphia Library Company,	...	2
Philadelphia Mercantile Library,	...	1
Physio-Medical College of Indiana,	...	1
Polytechnic Society of Kentucky,	...	1
Poughkeepsie City Library,	...	1
Powder Point School, Duxbury, Mass.,	...	1
Providence Athenæum,	...	1
Providence Public Library,	...	2
Providence Retreat, Buffalo,	...	1
Reform Club, Com. on Sound Currency,	...	12
Republican National Committee,	4	25
Richardson, A. C.,	1	3
Rochester, Miss Elizabeth,	...	1
Root, William S.,	...	1
Russell, T. A.,	7	...
Roycroft Printing Shop,	2	1
St. Joseph (Mo.) Free Public Library,	...	1
St. Louis Mercantile Library Association,	...	2
St. Paul Public Library,	...	2
Salem Public Library,	...	4
San Francisco Free Public Library,	...	2
San Francisco Mercantile Library Association,	...	1
Seattle (Wash.) Public Library,	...	1
Shepard, C. Sidney,	4	...
Smith, T. Guilford,	45	21

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
Smithsonian Institution,	4	3
Smythe, Albert E. S., Toronto,	1	...
Springfield (Mass.) City Library,	...	3
Stevens, B. F., London,	...	1
Stokes, Anson Phelps, New York,	1	...
Storey, Moorfield, Boston,	...	1
Symons, Maj. T. W., Corps of Engineers,	1	...
Syracuse Central Library,	...	1
Talcott, Mrs. John L.,	...	1
Theta Delta Chi Shield,	1	...
Thurston, William, Secretary Board of Trade, Buffalo,	6	...
Tifft, Wilson S.,	1	...
Tokyo, (Japan) Library,	...	2
Toronto Public Library,	...	2
Tulane University, New Orleans,	...	1
United Hebrew Charities,	...	1
United States Board of Indian Commissioners,	1	...
United States Bureau of the American Republics,	...	1
United States Bureau of Education,	6	3
United States Bureau of Ethnology,	1	...
United States Bureau of Navigation,	1	...
United States Coast and Geodetic Survey,	1	...
United States Department of Agriculture,	1	...
United States Department of Interior,	10	32
United States Department of Labor,	7	2
United States Department of State,	4	2
United States Department of State, Bureau of Rolls and Library,	1	...
United States Department of Treasury,	...	2
United States Fish Commission,	2	...
United States Geological Survey,	2	...
United States Hydrographic Office,	1	...
United States Interstate Commerce Commission,	1	...
United States Library of Congress,	...	1
United States Naval Observatory,	...	1
United States Navy Department,	1	...
United States Superintendent of Documents,	117	84
United States War Department,	1	...
United States War Department Library,	2	5
United States War Records Office,	2	...
University of California,	...	1
University of Chicago,	1	...
University of Michigan,	...	1
University of the State of New York,	3	3
University of Pennsylvania,	1	...
University of Rochester,	...	1
University of Rochester Library,	...	2

Names of Donors.	Vols.	Pamphlets.
University of Wisconsin,	1	3
Vermont State Library Commission,	...	1
Western Society of Engineers,	1	...
Wheeler, J., Washington, D. C.,	...	1
Whitman, Benjamin, Erie, Pa.,	...	1
Willis, A. L., New York,	...	1
Wilmington Institute, Wilmington, Del.,	...	2
Wisconsin Bureau of Labor Statistics,	1	...
Wisconsin Free Library Commission,	...	2
Wisconsin State Library Commission,	1	...
Worcester (Mass.) Free Public Library,	...	1
Yale University,	1	1

Other Gifts.

Benedict, Mrs. N. G., ... 52 Stereoscopic views for Children's Reading Room

Bourinot, J. G., Clerk of the House of Commons, Canada, ... 1 case of Maps

Campbell, Mrs., ... 1 scrap-book for Children's Reading Room

Daniels, Hon. Charles, . . Binding of Official Records of the War by Public Printer

Demarest, Mrs. Agnes, ... Cash, $20,000

Franklinville, N. Y., First Presbyterian Sunday-school, Primary Class,
10 scrap-books, 1 set sliced animals, 1 picture for Children's Reading Room

"Friend," 2 scrap-books for Children's Reading Room

Gibbons, Miss Emma, ... 1 photograph for Children's Reading Room

Houck, Miss Clara, ... Scrap-book for Children's Reading Room

Howland, Henry R., ... List of Mayflower Passengers—manuscript vol.

Jones, Rev. W. M., ... 1 Map

League of American Wheelmen, Buffalo, ... 2 sets of Road Maps

Matthews, Northrup & Co., . . { 12 dissected maps for Children's Reading Room
5 maps of Buffalo for Children's Reading Room

Meech, H. L., ... Autograph letter of Edwin Booth

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1856	2,068.41	238.45	1,289	55	324	9	20	1,046	1.00	3.00		27,840	3,461.15	1,000.00	827.43	3,651.64	1,200.00	John G. Guenther.
1857	1,666.55	302.94	1,021	57	105	4	1	721	1.00	3.00		26,883	3,349.75	50.00		1,081.61	1,200.00	Everard Palmer.
1858	435.52	423.30	375	55	65	4		860	1.00	3.00		21,215	2,047.18	61.23	1,120.48	1,603.31	2,500.00	Wm. T. Wardwell.
1859	465.15	349.28	342	52	113	3	7		1.00	3.00		21,495	2,350.50	1,302.00	336.22	1,682.76	2,800.00	Wm. Fleming.
1860	487.69	186.44	543	50	183		6	784	1.00	3.00		20,716	2,153.52	300.00	628.47	1,736.93	2,850.00	David F. Day.
1861	241.80	279.53	277	55	116	14		800	1.00	3.00		18,689	2,304.00		1,492.07	2,564.75	3,200.00	Joseph Warren.
1862	756.59	265.20	635	52	490	3	7	1,240	1.00	3.00		18,454	3,212.25	350.00	1,272.75	4,470.17	3,300.00	R. L. Howard.
1863	697.87	278.26	671	47	117	2	2	1,191	1.00	3.00		24,706	1,871.75	100.00	928.80	4,326.24	6,122.23	S. V. R. Watson.
1864	1,672.41	254.42	561	47	605	5	54	1,522	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	23.281	5,237.00	84,465.00	1,252.50	6,910.11	6,628.57	S. V. R. Watson.
1865	2,672.18	633.81	989	63	717	3	11	1,910	1.00	3.00	50,000.00		5,048.00	551.00	278.35	5,206.43	8,288.65	Sherman S. Jewett.
1866	2,540.75	526.44	1,493	65	1,091	3	19	2,805	1.00	3.00	50,000.00	37,130	5,956.55	950.00	285.44	5,650.00	8,500.00	Albert Sherwood.
1867	3,397.43	504.05	2,002	66	299	3	18	2,103	1.00	3.00	45,000.00	43,385	4,379.00	900 00	1,343.23	5,652.54	8,800.00	George Truscott.
1868	2,795.81	586.86	1,509	68	258	3	6	1,755	1.00	3.00	30,000.00	38,988	3,900.00	300.00	956.40	4,506.88	10,100.00	Edwin T. Evans.
1869	1,337.67	601.31	775	75	298	2	27	1,950	1.00	3.00	28,000.00	41,746	3,823.00	1,300.00	91.00	9,212.05	11,100.00	Henry A. Richmond.
1870	7,837.94	656.08	3,767	89	487	5	17	1,974	1.00	3.00	41,000.00	35,767	4,735.00	550.00	2,268.44	6,499.11	13,300.00	Chas. F. Wadsworth.
1871	12,001.64	905.54	6,004	116	457	6	45		1.00	3.00		60,982	4,826.75	2,250.00	2,571.16	2,820.19	13,950.00	Geo. S. Wardwell.
1872	3,448.14	748.33	1,771	122	537	4	14		1.00	3.00	34,050.00	73,138	4,780.72	700.00	1,144.39	3,702.62	19,750.00	Oscar Folsom.
1873	1,878.44	768.48	804	123	831	4	21	2,356	1.00	3.00	26,250.00	75,983	6,081.00	6,050.00	1,176.40	4,493.34	20,050.00	David Bell.
1874	3,403.05	844.17	1,711	121	212	12	6	2,100	1.00	3.00	18,950.00	84,412	4,228.00	300.00		2,717.23	20,350.00	Howard H. Baker.
1875	2,557.27	728.62	1,196	122	237	2	6	1,800	1.00	3.00	15,250.00	72,529	4,009.75	300.00		2,107.42	20,735.04	Franklin D. Locke.
1876	3,303.20	767.91	1,177	127	228	3	4	1,973	1.00	3.00	12,550.00	74,127	3,959.25	200.00		3,541.23	20,935.04	E. Carlton Sprague.
1877	2,519.24	815.83	1,160	126	244	5	4	1,841	1.00	3.00	8,350.00	76,591	3,780.25	200.00		1,737.02	21,035.04	Robert P. Wilson.
1878	3,355.60	651.96	2,254	84	257	4	2	1,507	1.00	3.00	8,250.00	72,842	4,107.25	100.00		1,738.02	21,085.04	William H. Gurney.
1879	5,164.78	660.24	3,310	112	244	6	1	1,493	1.00	3.00	8,200.00	77,826	3,431.00	50.00		2,086.96	21,385.04	Richard K. Noye.
1880	5,435.49	744.17	3,291	116	360	7	6	1,770	1.00	3.00	7,900.00	90,222	4,767.75	300.00		3,122.04	21,835.04	Wilson H. Bissell.
1881	5,842.65	726.11	3,167	121	354	10	5	1,777		3.00		91,429	4,513.75	250.00		1,098.76	22,085.04	Charles A. Sweet.
1882	4,519.81	643.00	2,794	111	422	6	6	1,776		3.00	10,500.00	98,363	4,322.13	2,550.00		231.94	22,033.74	Henry Bull.
1883	4,260.71	690.12	3,085	108	337	2	371	1,814		3.00		99,108	4,071.60			1,077.63	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1884	4,800.20	682.21	3,114	116	334		406			3.00		96,113	3,873.00			1,202.86	22,033.74	Edward B. Smith.
1885	4,657.34	646.71	3,672	133	327		95	1,369		3.00		84,918	3,144.00			1,009.86	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1886	4,327.97	625.68	3,522	154	317	2		1,509		3.00	225,000.00	59,043	2,917.09			599.38	22,033.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1887	3,724.35	800.51	3,191	173	600	2		1,614		3.00		89,935	3,667.75	124,879.25			22,183.74	Jewett M. Richmond.
1888	3,365.21	637.17	2,807	191	901		8	2,178		3.00		100,136	4,406.49				22,183.74	George Gorham.
1889	3,115.56	673 68	2,630	182	417	1	6	1,881		3.00	955,000.00	102,600	3,293.25	9,700.00		15,772.00	31,883.74	Daniel H. McMillan.
1890	3,425.86	494.28	2,835	183	549		10	1,729		3.00	910,000.00	102,749	4,116.08	5,700.00		17,397.05	39,228.99	Philo D. Beard.
1891	3,339.49	731.03	2,220	200	591		22	1,778		3.00	910,000.00	104,244	4,027.10	1,300.00		10,833.50	62,541.03	Ralph H. Plumb.
1892	3,650.15	794.52	2,776	203	586		10	1,774		3.00	906,500.00	114,719	4,271.62	5,050.00		10,473.62	67,991.03	Frank M. Hollister.
1893	4,164 12	506.41	3,047	208	504		4	1,588		3.00	902,500.00	118,931	4,283.40	50.00		11,935.77	67,866.03	George B. Hayes.
1894	6,731.64	551.80	3,978	200	588		7	1,619		3.00	902,500.00	128,222	3,990.00			10,585.06	72,856.03	Henry C. French.

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Jarrett, Miss E.
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Jenkins, Mrs. W. J.
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Joyce, Miss C. M.
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Kent, Mrs. Charles F.
Kenyon, Miss Ada M.
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Killilee, Miss M. E.
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Lee, Miss Jessie H.
Leech, Mrs. C. C.
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Leo, Miss Ellen
Lessler, Miss Clara
Lester, Miss Mary J.
Letterman, Miss Kate
Levens, Miss Sadie S.
Levey, Mrs. A. A.
Levi, Miss Bessie
Levi, Mrs. J.
Lewis, Mrs. Harry C.
Lewis, Miss Olga
Lidle, Miss Elizabeth
Lindsay, Miss Alice F.
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Madden, Florence H.
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Marsh, Miss Elizabeth
Marsh, Ida M.
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Mary, Augustine, Sister
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Mattice, Mrs. L. A.
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Mayer, Mrs. Joseph B.
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Merrill, Grace E.
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Miller, Mrs. W. B.
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Richardson, Mrs. Lee
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Roberts, Miss Mary J.
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Rogers, Mrs. Harry E.
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Rosenau, Miss Laura
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Stone, Miss H. B.
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Strickler, Mrs. Alice
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Taylor, Miss Grace
Taylor, Miss Jennie M.
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Thompson, Helen J.
Thompson, Mrs. Ida L.
Thompson, Mrs. J. C.
Thompson, Mrs. Mary N.
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Thompson, Mrs. N. F.
Tinkler, Miss Regina
Townsend, Mrs. Charles
Townsend, Mrs. F. de P.
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Trible, Miss Grace
Trout, Mrs. H. G.

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Warner, Mildred R.
Warren, Mrs. Dorothy H.
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Weill, Blanch C.
Weill, Mrs. H.
Weill, Mrs. Louise
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Weissenberg, Mrs. A.
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Welch, Mrs. Jennie A.
Wells, S. Lilly
Wells, Mrs. W. G.
Wertimer, Mrs. Henry
Wesley, Mrs. J. E.
Wesp, Drusilla
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White, Mrs. Elizabeth L.
White, Miss Grace H.
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Williams, Cora B.
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Williams, Mrs. Harry D.
Williams, Miss Mabel W.
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Wilson, Edith B.
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Wise, Miss Maud E.
Witte, Mrs. H.
Wood, Alida M.
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Woodbury, Mrs. Louise A.
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Adam, R. B., ... 1884
Adam, R. B., Jr., ... 1884
Adams, Miss H. A., ... 1884
Adams, James, ... 1881
Adams, John C., ... 1884
Addington, Mrs. Mary Weber, . . 1885
Ahrhart, Charles F. A., ... 1894
Albright, J. J., ... 1884
Albright, L., ... 1884
Albright, R. K., ... 1884
Alderman, Miss Eleanor Jane, . . 1894
Alexander, Mrs. D. S., ... 1884
Allan, John McPherson, ... 1894
Allen, Mrs. Clara C., ... 1887
Allen, Daniel W., ... 1884
Allen, Henry F., ... 1885
Allen, John F., ... 1885
Allen, John S., ... 1895
Allen, W. S., ... 1884
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Almy, Wm. H., ... 1887
Altman, Henry, ... 1884
Altman, Isaac, ... 1884
Altman, Julius, ... 1887
Alward, Mrs. Emily B., ... 1884
Ames, Mrs. Samuel, ... 1885
Anderson, Charles F., ... 1884
Anderson, Wm. A., ... 1891
Armstrong, Charles B., ... 1886
Armstrong, Charles N., ... 1886
Ash, James, ... 1884
Atkins, A. R., ... 1890
Atwater, E. M., ... 1881
Atwater, Samuel T., ... 1885
Atwater, William T., ... 1884
Austin, Charles W., ... 1885
Avery, Mrs. Delia S., ... 1884
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Avery, T. C., ... 1884
Avery, Truman G., ... 1875
Bacon, E. R., ... 1873
Bailey, Charles H., ... 1886
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Baird, Mary Drake, ... 1891
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Ball, Kneeland, ... 1885
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Barton, Oliver F. 1857
Barton, Thomas D. 1857
Bass, Lyman M. 1884
Beals, E. P. 1881
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Beard, Daniel C. 1881
Beard, Philo D. 1877
Becker, Alfred Le Roy 1885
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Becker, Philip 1871
Beecher, James C. 1884
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Bedford, John M. 1885
Behrends, Mrs. Caroline G. 1885
Beier, Mrs. J. 1887
Bell, David 1870
Bell, Edwin A. 1885
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Bell, George H. 1884
Benedict, W. J. 1883
Bennett, Edward 1881
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Bentley, George T., ... 1881
Bergtold, W. Harry, ... 1885
Berrick, Alfred A., ... 1884
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Berryman, Mrs. Wm., ... 1887
Birge, Henry M., ... 1886
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Bissell, Wilson S., ... 1879
Blacking, Charles, ... 1884
Blake, Miss E. L., ... 1885
Blake, Gilson G., ... 1893
Blakeslee, Harvey D., ... 1884
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Boardman, John, ... 1884
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Bork, Joseph, ... 1873
Bowen, Harry W., ... 1885
Box, Henry W., ... 1874
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Brayton, Irwin R., ... 1886
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Brown, Mrs. Chas. Edward, . . . 1886
Brown, Henry M., ... 1880
Brown, James Ed., ... 1884
Brown, R. N., ... 1881
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Buck, E. A., ... 1872
Buck, George S., ... 1884
Buck, Miss Harriet M., ... 1884
Bull, Carl, ... 1870
Bull, Henry, ... 1884
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Bull, Robert W., ... 1884
Bull, William S., ... 1884
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Burke, William E., ... 1886
Burt, Henry W., ... 1865
Burtis, Miss Kate T., ... 1884
Burtis, Morse T., ... 1887
Burtis, Peter P., ... 1878
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Byrne, John, Jr., ... 1885
Caldwell, S. D., ... 1869
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Cary, Mrs. Julia, ... 1884
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Cary, Thomas, ... 1880
Cary, Walter, ... 1874
Case, W. G., ... 1885
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Chapin, E. H., ... 1872
Chapin, Willis O., ... 1884
Chapin, Mrs. Willis O., ... 1884
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Chase, J. L., ... 1884
Chester, Carl T., ... 1885
Chester, Katherine, ... 1884
Chester, Walter T., ... 1872
Chittenden, John L., ... 1848
Churchyard, John, ... 1874
Churchyard, Joseph, ... 1874
Churchyard, William K., ... 1874

Clapp, Henry H., ... 1881
Clark, A. Ralph, ... 1884
Clark, Charles A. 1857
Clark, Mrs. Delia S. 1884
Clark, Edward D. 1884
Clark, H. P. 1884
Clark, Irwin B. 1885
Clark, Miss Jessie E. 1884
Clark, Stephen C. 1865
Clark, Stephen D. 1884
Clark, Townsend D. 1884
Clement, S. M., Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. S. M., Jr. 1885
Clement, Mrs. Sarah E. 1885
Cleveland, Grover 1870
Clifton, Mrs. Charles 1885
Clinton, DeWitt 1878
Clinton, George 1885
Close, Emory P. 1884
Coakley, Dr. J. B. 1884
Cobb, Oscar 1881
Coit, Miss Charlotte 1887
Coit, Miss Emily 1887
Coit, Frank S. 1870
Coit, George 1885
Coit, Miss Julia 1887
Collingwood, W. D. 1887
Comstock, Marc W. 1884
Cook, Edward L. 1884
Cook, Joseph T. 1887
Cornell, S. Douglass 1861
Cornwell, William C. 1884
Cothran, Geo. W. 1872
Cottier, Alonzo E. 1884
Cottier, W. H. 1884
Cowing, John H. 1875
Cowing, Stanley B. 1884
Cowles, Seth G. 1886
Cowles, Samuel H. 1886
Crosby, Thomas G. 1885
Cunningham, P. R. 1891
Curtis, A. M., ... 1886
Curtis, Chas. G. 1884
Curtis, Harlow C. 1884
Cushman, Charles W. 1888
Cutler, Burwell L. 1886
Cutler, Clifford A. 1886
Cutter, Mrs. G. W. 1886
Cutter, William B. 1868
Daboll, L. B. 1885
Danforth, F. L. 1872
Danforth, Frank L. 1884
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Danforth, Mrs. Henry G. 1885
Danforth, Richard E. 1884
Danforth, William E. 1884
Daniels, C. H. 1884
Daniels, Charles 1882
Dann, Mrs. Anna V. 1885
Dann, E. W. 1848
Dann, Walter J. 1884
Dart, Joseph, Jr. 1887
Davis, Harry P. 1884
Davis, J. Talman 1886
Davis, Jacob 1885
Davis, Townsend 1884
Davis, Mrs. Townsend 1884
Davis, William H. 1884
Davy, Marsden 1886
Dawes, Julius H. 1884
Day, David F. 1871
Dean, Wells P. 1871
Depew, Chauncey M. 1884
Depew, Ganson S. 1884
Depew, Mrs. Ganson S. 1885
Derrick, George W. 1884
Devereux, Mrs. Virginia Evans . . 1884
Diehl, Jacob W. 1884
Diehl, John P. 1884
Dole, Thomas D. 1881
Dopp, William H. 1871
Dorr, Edward 1865
Dorr, Frank Ingersoll 1867
Dorr, John Nicholas 1867
Douglass, W. H. 1872
Doyle, Peter C. 1872
Doyle, William L. 1872
Drake, T. S. 1892
Dubois, Frank 1884
Dudley, James G. 1881
Dudley, Joseph P. 1871
Dunbar, Chas. F. 1884
Dunbar, George H. 1874
Dunston, George H. 1872

Duschak, Mrs. Agnes H. 1872
Eames, Daniel D. 1884
Eames, E. W. 1867
Eames, Edward A. 1885
Eames, M. R. 1867
Eames, Milo D. 1884
Eckley, Mrs. Elizabeth P. 1871
Eckley, J. S. 1864
Edmonds, Earl R. 1884
Edwards, Edward 1884
Ehrlich, Julius J. 1873
Esenwein, August C. 1892
Elias, G. 1884
Emerson, Henry P. 1884
Emslie, Mrs. Peter 1884
Ernest, H. 1886
Evans, Miss Alethe 1887
Evans, Edwin T. 1885
Evans, Ellicott 1886
Evans, Mrs. Ellicott 1887
Evans, James C. 1884
Evans, James C., 2d 1873
Evans, Karl 1886
Evans, Louis M. 1872
Evans, Miss Sarah Grant 1887
Everden, Mrs. Frances H. 1893
Fairchild, Joseph L. 1875
Farrar, C. M. 1888
Farthing, John 1881
Fassett, Miss Clara S. 1884
Fassett, Theodore S. 1884
Fenton, James 1884
Ferguson, Frank C. 1887
Ferris, Peter J. 1886
Fischer, G. P. 1889
Fisher, G. R. 1889
Fisher, James W. 1872
Fiske, Frank W. 1865
Fiske, George 1885
Fiske, Willis P. 1887
Fleming, Bryant 1884
Fleming, Miss Lucy S. 1884
Fleming, William 1881
Flint, Oscar T. 1865
Flynn, Wm. Jared 1884
Folsom, Benjamin 1884
Folwell, Mrs. Florence D. 1884
Ford, Mrs. Helen J. 1885
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Ford, James E. 1881
Forman, Geo. V. 1893
Forsyth, James G. 1885
Fox, L. J. 1884
French, Albin S. 1884
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Frost, L. L. 1884
Fullerton, H. F. 1886
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Ganson, Henry 1872
Gardner, Mrs. Edith S. 1885
Gardner, William 1857
Gatchell, Geo. S. 1884
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Germain, Charles B. 1884
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Goodyear, Josephine L. 1885
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Graves, Augusta A. 1886
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Greiner, Charles 1884
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Haight, Albert 1884
Haight, Miss Angeline 1885
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Lewis, Loran L., Jr., ... 1884
Lewis, Marjory, ... 1891
Lewis, Miss Mary, ... 1885
Lewis, Thomas F., ... 1884
Linen, George G., ... 1884
Locke, Franklin D., ... 1876
Locke, James, ... 1875
Lockwood, D. N., ... 1884
Loomis, Charles K., ... 1884
Loomis, Mrs. Charles T., ... 1884
Loomis, Frank M., ... 1884
Loomis, Hobart B., Jr., ... 1884
Loomis, Miss Maria B., ... 1884
Loomis, Thomas 1871
Love, Miss Maria 1884

Lovejoy, Walter L. 1888
Lyman, C. M. 1884
Lymburner, H. M. 1865
Lyth, A. Lyon 1887
Lyth, Alfred 1887
Lyth, Byron 1887
Lyth, Frances 1887
Lyth, Gertrude 1887
Lyth, John, Jr. 1887
Lyth, Miss Katie 1887
Lyth Laura M. 1887
Lyth, Miss Mary F. 1887
Lyth, Mary Isabella 1887
Lyth, Samuel E. 1887
Lyth, Thomas 1887
Lyth, William H. 1887
McArthur, J. N. 1884
McDougal, Sidney, ... 1884
McFarlane, Miss Belle 1884
McKibben, Miss Isabel 1884
McKibben, John Jewett 1884
McKibben, Miss Mabel 1884
McKibben, Robert H. 1884
McMillan, Daniel H. 1883
McMillan, Morton 1884
McMillan, Ross 1884
MacNabb, Mrs. Allan N. 1885
McNaughton, P. B. 1884
McNeil, D. 1884
McNiven, Mrs. Jennie D. 1884
McShane, T. 1884
McWilliams, John J. 1887
Madison, James H. 1878
Mann, Matthew, D. 1884
Manning, D. Van A. 1885
Manning, Franklin E. 1885
Manning, John B. 1885
Manning, John Oley 1885
Manning, William H. 1885
Marcus, L. 1884
Marshall, Charles D. 1884
Martin, Capt. John 1884
Marvin, Miss Antoinette G. 1890
Marvin, Miss Elizabeth S. 1890
Marvin, George H. 1890
Marvin, Grace E. 1890
Marvin, Percy L. 1890
Mason, Seth L. 1873
Matthews, George B. 1880
Matthews, George E. 1884
Matthews, Harry N. 1885
Matthews, J. H. 1886
Meadows, Harold G. 1885
Meadows, William 1866
Meadows, William G. 1885
Melcher, Miss Alice V. 1886
Metcalf, Mrs. E. F. 1886
Metcalf, Frank T. 1884
Metcalf, George S. 1884
Metcalf, James S. 1884
Meyer, Alphonse J. 1890
Michael, Edward 1884
Milburn, Devereaux 1884
Milburn, John G. 1880
Milburn, John G., Jr. 1884
Miller, A. D. A. 1865
Miller, Albert C. 1886
Miller, Miss Bessie C. 1885
Miller, George 1886
Miller, Mrs. George 1884
Miller, Geo. W. 1885
Mills, W. I. 1888
Ming, Mary A. E. 1887
Mixer, Fred. K. 1884
Mixer, Knowlton 1885
Montgomery, George B. 1885
Montgomery, H. Ernest 1885
Montgomery, Robert 1881
Mooney, James 1885
Moore, Fred. H. 1884
Moot, Adelbert 1885
Moot, Mrs. C. A. V. 1885
Moot, Richmond 1891
Moot, Seward 1891
Moot, Wells 1891
More, George E. 1890
Morey, Miss Belle R. 1886
Morey, Joseph H. 1886
Morey, Norris 1884
Morgan, A. W. 1885
Morgan, D. E. 1884
Morgan, Percy R. 1884
Morgan, Willis K. 1884
Morse, Charles M. 1885